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LONDON, August I. A Havas Agency despatch from Paris states Conference yesterday in London marked important success for M. Herriot, the French

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which France has given proof of during delicate negotiations. The papers foresee accord in the Conference

shortly, on the basis of the French proposition.
AGREEMENT IN SIGHT. The members of the Third Committee state that agreement is within sight. It is now only a question of drafting certain papers for the plenary Conference to-morrow, which, it is expected, will facilitate the attendance of the Germans on Monday.

#### CRICKET

MATCH DRAWN AT BRIGHTON

(Reuter's Service.)

LONDON, August 1.

The weather at Brighton was cloudy but fair when the game between Sussex and the South Africans was resumed on a good wicket to day. The South Africans, who had scored 337 in

their 1st. innings, made 217 for the loss of wickets in the second and declared at 3 o'clock. Susskind made 88 and Nourse 44 not out. .. Relf took 3 wickets for 43. Sussex scored 334 in their 1st. innings. At the

second attempt, they had lost six wickets for 96. when stumps were drawn at 4.30 p.m. to allow of the South Africans leaving for Glamorgan. The match was thus drawn. Hands took 3 wickets for 9 runs in the second innings of Sussex.

At the Oval, Hampshire led Surrey on the 1st

Sandham'scoring 56. Hampshire replied with 355 for 9 wickets when they also declared. Mead scored 140. Surrey, in their second inmings scored 349 for the loss of 5 wickets, Hobbs making 90 and Sand-

At Leyton, Lancashire defeated Essex by o wickets, Essex scored 135 (R. Tyldesley taking wickets for 76), and 196 (R. Tyldesley obtaining 6 victims for 117.)

Lancashire declared, in the 1st. innings, after making 256 for eight (E. Tyldesley 83). In their second innings, Lancashire lost one wicket for 76.
At Huddersfield, Yorkshire led Derbyshire on the first innings. Yorkshire made 300 for

seven and declared, Holmes scoring 107. Derby compiled III in their first innings, Rhodes taking 6 wickets for 25. Following on, Derby lost eight wickets for 78,

# WIRELESS.

Rain robbed Yorkshire of victory.

BEAM STATION APPROVED

(Reuter's Service.)

LONDON, August I. The House of Commons has approved the agreement with Marconis with reference to the construction of beam wireless stations."

Mr. Vernon Hartshorn, the Postmaster-General, said he understood an agreement was now being made with Australia and South Africa for the erection of a beam station, as had been already arranged with Canada.

#### SCOU'S' JAMBOREE.

EMPIRE GATHERING AT WEMBLEY.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT'S WELCOME.

EASTERN TROOPS WELL REPRESENTED.

(Reuter's Service.)

LONDON, August 1.

India, Burmab, Ceylon, China, Hongkong and that, in the opinion of the French Press, the all parts of Great Britain and the Empire were represented among the 13,000 Boy Scouts of various nationalities and colours, participating in the Empire Jamboree at Wembley,

It was inaugurated this afternoon by a great Herriot, despite a difficult fight, has not sacrificed procession at the Wembley Stadium. The Duke of Connaught, accompanied by Lieut-General Sir All the papers stress the conciliation of mind Robert Baden-Powell, welcomed the boys.

#### INDIAN TRIBESMEN.

BRITISH TERMS.

SIMLA, August I.

The Shasi Khel (Shabi Khel), tribesmen havs handed over the British Squadron Leader and submitted to the British terms.

In consequence, punitive operations have now

[A Simla message of July 29, reads: While carrying out bombing operations against the Shasi Khels, South-east of Razmak, a formation of six machines was caught in a heavy fog on the return journey.

Four of them crashed. The crew of the first were not injured, but two of the occupants of the second and third were killed.

The fourth machine fell into the hands of the Wazir; the occupants were injured, but not seriously, it is believed. The other two machines reached the aerodrome safely.

#### JAPAN'S TARIFF.

BIRMINGHAM PROTEST.

(Reuter's Service.)

LONDON, August 1.

At a meeting of Birmingham gunmakers, the opinion was voiced that the new Japanese Tariff of 100 per cent. ad valorem in regard to the gun trade was prohibitive. They welcomed the offer of Surrey made 237 for 9 wickets and declared, Mr. P. J. H. Hannon, Conservative member for Moseley, in conjunction-with-Mr.-Neville-Chamberlain and other local parliamentarians to seek an interview with Government on the subject.

Mr. Hannon said he believed that if the case were presented properly, Japan would be ready to make some concession,

# "UTTERLY FALSE."

JAPAN AND RUSSIA.

(Reuter's Service.)

TOKYO, August I.

"Utterly false" is the official comment on the report of the correspondent of the London "Morning Post" in Paris that a secret Treaty has been reached between Russia and Japan. It is thought that such reports have been put

into systematic circulation for ulterior reasons.

# HOLLAND BYE-ELECTION.

DEFEAT FOR LABOUR.

The bye election at Holland with Boston to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. W. S. Royce, resulted in the conversion of a Labour majority of 2,366 into a Conservative majority of 806.

The figures were: Mr. A. W. Dean (Conservative) ..... 12,907. Dr. Hugh Dalton (Labour)......12,101.

Sir Derrick: No.

Mr. R. P. Winfrey ..... 7,506.

#### YEARS AFTER. TWELVE .

ARREST ON PERJURY CHARGE.

Bart, was arrested on a warrant coat and striped trousers, and granted in 1912 by the late Sir carried a silk hat, Henry Curtis Bennett, charging him with committing perjury in his bankruptcy proceedings. Later he was brought up at Bow-street Police Court before Mr. Graham Campbell, and after formal evidence of arrest had been given take him to Bow-street- Police was remanded on £1,000 bail for a Station. Sir Derrick replied: "This week. Bail was found. Neither is the first I have heard of it When the prosecution nor. Sir Derrick was it granted?" Inspector

was legally represented. Sir Derrick is the son of Lady Ludlow, whose first husband was Bow-street. the late Sir Julius Wernher, the South African diamond magnate, him, and after being cautioned he Her treasures, it will be remem- naked, "When does the magistrate bered, were stolen from her sit? Can I get in touch with Sir

a week before.

wilful perjury in giving evidence on oath in his public examination in bankruptcy hefore Mr. Registrar Linklater."

Sir Derrick, who stands well over 6ft. high and is broad in proportion, wore a black morning Sir Derrick Julius Wernher, cont with lavender-coloured waist-

> Detective-Inspector Fitzgerald gave evidence that at 10.25 a,m, in company with Divisional Detective inspector Vanner, he saw Sir Derrick in Southampton-row, and after stating that they held a warrant for his arrest for perjury, told him that they were going to Fitzgerald told him "Twelve years ago," and then took him to

The warrant was there read to residence Bath House, Piccadilly, Charles Russell?" After a pause he added. "You say the warrant On the charge-sheet Sir Derrick | was granted 12 years ago, I have was described as 35 years of age, never heard of it, or I would have independent, staying at the Russell come back and met it when it was

and again cautioned, and he made no statement in reply. The Magistrate (to Sir Derrick) Have you any questions to put to the witness?

Sir Derrick was educated at Eton' and Oxford, and at examination 12 years ago. when he was adjudged bankrupt, he said that on leaving the university he had contracted liabilities of £40,000, which, he added, were paid by his

Sir Julius Wernher, in his will, left £150,000 on trust for Sir Derrick for life. Sir Derrick was not to receive more than £1,200 a year while between the ages of 25 | and 30, or more than £2,400 after 30; the balance to be accumulated and added to the capital, which, on the son's death, was to be held for the benefit of his widow and

To his other sons, Harold Augustus and Alexander Pigott, Sir Julius left £1,500,000 and £1,000,000 respectively for life. Sir Derrick in 1922 married in New York Miss Theodora Re-

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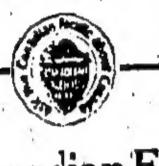
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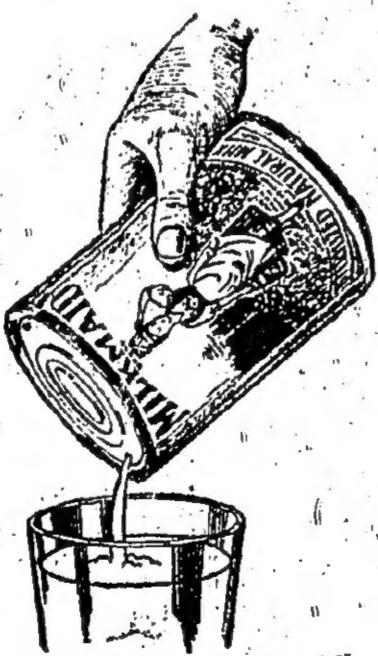
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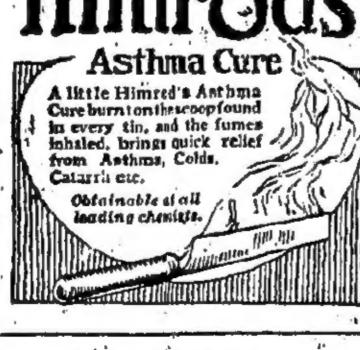
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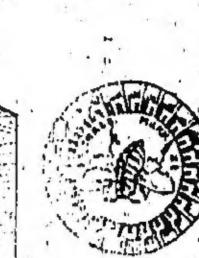
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TRADE MISSIONARY.

To foster trade between Australia

and China is the mission of Mr.

W. H Chen, who reached Sydney

on July 6, by the N.Y.K., steamer

Mr Chen, who is a Shanghai

solicitor, was born near Newcastle.

and 'received his schooling in

Sydney. He said that he had pre-

viously been offered the position

of Chinese Consul-General in

Australia, but for health reasons

he had been compelled to decline

Mr. Chen, who will spend six

weeks in Australia, stressed the

great importance for an improve-

ment in the packing of Australian

products exported to China, where,

he said, there was a vast and ever-

Dressed in national costume, Mr.

Chen wore three large medals.

Cotton Piece Goods and Fancy

Cotton Goods.—The market is in

the doldrums and new business is

conspicuous only, by its absence.

In the interim since our last report

'Spot'' and "Futures" has ad-

vanced considerably, and manufac-

turers are asking correspondingly

position is not, however, in any

way reflected in Chinese selling

Cotton Yarn .- Since cur last re-

port, there has been a certain

amount of enquiry, but owing to

10s \$220/240. No. 12s. \$225/245.

\$245/250. Arrivals 900 bales.

Shipments nil. Sales nil. Unsold

stock 8,800 bales. Bargains 1,000

Woollens.-Market remains ex-

ceedingly dull. Clearances poor,

Raw Cottons. - There is no

Metals.—Market continues to be

Flour Market Report.—Stock

Sundries,-Market quiet.

Salt petre. - Stock (11,000) bags.

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PIRATE ATTACKS:

the Captain

in cold blood. The number Hongkong vessels pirated has however been but a fraction of the Mos. zoro, Siturday, Alguer 2, 1924. number of Chinese craft looted by pirates in the Delta. This possibly the most serious aspect of the pirate menace. Thanks to the efficient precautions which are The mintendent of Police for last now taken the larger vessels tradyear contains many extremely ing through the danger zone are items one might fairly safe from attack-from write a poem about the successful attack, anyway. Consethe soviet Russia the Soviet Russia the Soviet Russia the Soviet Russia than nineteen times!—but is maintained they may reasonably the most important hope to escape further trouble. Tai Shun's" fate larger vessels have been put atmy and navy and personing in any other. Hereafter with the beyond their machinations pirates cution prevail—such a social present enforced change of Kensel-The common lot, it is dis-still have the smaller vessels to system is not the co-opera- kal for Selyuhonto an a precedent who that knows all that goes tive commonwealth which was long to endure, the national minis- to the making of a sin shall ever There affairs two men were killed prey upon. In other words they the dream of Leniue, or anything try will have to represent the dare to blame a sinner.

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abandon their evil ways, and they briefly," he continues. at the business while they wait for more lucrative victims. Thus the co-operative commonwealth I safe the menace remains, 'Accordto protect smaller craft, for a long as they are the prey pirates, the outlaws will continue to thrive, a menace to all vessels great and small; trading through the danger zone.

Hongkong Crime Decreases.

Some may claim that at present it is too early to pat ourselves decrease in violent crimes in this most objectionable Colony. That there is a decrease known to chemists." there is no question. About a year ago it seemed as if the average number of armed robberies was about one a day if not more. To-day they are few and far between and the corresponding proportion of convictions has increased. We are loath to assert with any degree of certainty to which part of our administration this material improvement should be credited. We think that every department concerned has done its bit towards coping with what once seemed the impossible. Probably the strengthening of our laws has had a deterrent effect. Gradual completion of a network of searchers for carriers of arms has also brought reward and continued police vigilance seems have nicely rounded off the effort. True, people may meet with police patrol at night and be questioned and searched but all have gladly put up with the slight inconvenience as it has been proved that many prowlers have been snared in this manner. Let the good work continue and everybody give credit where credit is

The presence of a number—of Russian military officers in Canton has naturally caused much speculation as to the actual relations between Dr. Sun Yat-sen and the Soviet. Last week it was announced that a secret treaty had already been entered into between Dr. Sun and the Moscow Government, whereby the latter was said to have recognized the Canton Government as representative of an independent nation. The statement, even if true, will cause many to smile in view of the comparatively small area of South China which now acknowledges Dr. Sun as overlord. In our view, however, the very presence of Bolshevik agents in Canton spells danger. Their achievements in North China have caused nothing but unrest since they gained a footing there some four years ago. Soon after their arrival in Peking, the Chinese authorities refused Chinese soil. They appealed to the left his furniture and domestic Diplomatique and the Legation Quarter. From their who is to have the right of buria new quarters they launched a propaganda campaign in English and Chinese. The former was comparatively innocuous, but not so the latter. While no actual formal complaint was ever made by the Chinese Government, feelers were she?" put out with a view to the Legation authorities putting a curb she often sends me to the shops on the activity of Moscow's agents. for things, and they are a good The danger, however, was never way off, and I know she gets cross fully realized in diplomatic circles although the American, British French and Japanese newspapers gave continual warning of what the result might well be. Wha happened in the North may well be repeated in the South, unless Dr. Sun and his advisers are partiis cularly careful before affixing their seals to documents with the Soviet. M. Karakhan is already do about it?" counting his chickens from the

What is the out-LENINE AND standing fact in

North China eggs!...

Junk's crew was murdered have not been compelled to can be set down clearly and chosen House, and this falls the

and considered only the future. tional He conceived it possible to build

had, under the leadership of Moses, dwelt forty years in the desert, while the new generation was being brought up and educated as the islands from the Satsuma builders and members of the socialist republic." The British Government methylated spirits

the Duke of Connaught, as Grand is essentially unsound, Provincial Grand Master of Surrey: the Duke of York, as Provincial Berkshire. This is not saying, however, that such offices have not royal family before, because

Mr. Henry LATEST Worthington, J.P., WILLS. Grantlands, Uffculme, effects, motor-cars, a residence, and an annuity of £1,500 free of

at the Goose and Gridiron in St.

Paul's Churchyard, in 1717.

f-duty, £293,857. Alington, Tower-road, Prenton, Cheshire, and Cook-street, Liver- economic face above the foreign pool, ship and insurance broker and political. Will the ministry

Mr. Arnold Thomas Watson, of Southwold, Tapton Crescent-road, he has called "the strong attitude," Sheffield, stock and share broker, and this especially as regards for some years Assay Master of China and America. Let it be Sheffield, £72,437.

Miss Gabrielle Bliza Festing, of 56, Queens Gate-terrace, South ing, has been at the head of the Kensington, well known as the writer of quasi-historical Indian books, author of "When Kings Rode to Delhi" and "Honour Among Thieves " £14,125.

ReA., of 13, Kensington square, One Demands" were forced on W., and of Madeira-road, Margate, of the leading modern sculptors responsible for statues of Gladstone in the Houses of Parliament, £12,696.

Mr. Richard Higham, 49, Princess-street, Manchester, solicitor, effects and £2. a week for life to granted permission to reside in his housekeeper, Mary Threadgold, To-day's Poem. in his grave, £9,032

> I'm awfully DIPLOMACY, sorry, dad," said Willie, "to think now much trouble I give mother.' "She, hasn't complained, has

No. she's very patient. But waiting when she's in a hurry."

"Not often, I fancy." "Oh, she's nearly always in a hurry. She gets everything ready for the baking and finds at the last moment she has no yeast, or something, and then she's in an awful fright, and I can't run a long distance, you know, and-I feel awfully sorry for poor mother.". "Humph! Well, what" can we

"I was thinking dad, that per haps you might get me a bicycle.

Current Comment

(New Policies In Japan.)

The Cabinet change at Tokyo, TO-DAY. . . sia of to-day? asks where Kiego Kiyoura has yielded H. S. Victorson to Takaaki Kato, is as important as in the "Stratford Monthly." And Interesting, notes an American is the one dealing with With the smaller craft on the he answers his question in part paper. It denotes more than just the attacks. Between March 29 other hand the piracy evil is still thus: "It is, in my opinion, that a shift in party power, with a December 30 some twelve rampant, is indeed worse than it Lenine has failed in his main consequent substitution of one respons vessels were pirated, has ever been. This is bad enough objective—the establishment of a party chieftain for another; in socialist republic in Russia. That three several ways it indicates 1800. monetary loss being over in itself, entailing as it does heavy name is completely meaningless new policies in that government The "Tai Shun," loss in life and trade, but it is when applied to the present which is of largest influence in on May 12, contributed perhaps even more unfortunate Russian Government and social the Orient. Baron Klyoura was system. A social system with a scarcely a success as head of new economic policy under which state, but his brief official finally stamping out the piracy a new capitalism flourishes, and life and dramatic downfall are as it might easily have evil. That is to say although concessions are made to foreign truly elequent of a Japan deeply.

"He more appropriately as "Kenselkai" can as it were keep their hand in ignored the past and the present is best translated: "Constitu-Government

although big ships are now fairly out of entirely new material. To recent shifting of Japan's political bim the past generations could be weights is clearly of far-reaching ingly it behoves the responsible generation should play the rôle import, another, though less talked authorities to strain every nerve anew of the old Jewish tribes, who of, may prove as considerable. Viscount Kato's appointment as Premier is to mark, perhaps, the passing of the balance of power in clansmen to the rich Iwasaki family and their supporters. That is to say, it may mean the defeat of the militarized bureaucrats by the rapidly growing commercial magnates. Kato is son-in-law of repugnant to the taste as to be the founder of the Iwasaki, and undrinkable. The Government has this family connection was taken on a big job. Any person responsible for his accession who finds methylated spirits palate to the Kenseikai presidency, able must be so seasoned a vessel and that, of course, has led directly on the back for the apparent as almost to be proof against the to the seat at the upper end of the compound Cabinet table. The third of the

newer paths which Japanese officialdom now is expected to follow is one of genuine/ taxation reform, FREEMASONRY, parallel in the along with a programme of real and history of Free- drastic financial retrenchment. Not masonry in Great Britain was the only has the Kenseikai favoured recent simultaneous appointment such moves for some time, but it Co., Ltd., at the Registered Office of three members of the royal is to-day recognized, as never of the Company, 20 Des Vœux family to high Masonic office. before, that the industrial and Road, Central, noon. The appointments were made by economic state, of the country Master of England, the appointees beit superficially satisfactory, and

being the Prince of Wales, as that prompt steps should be taken in the direction of steadying this. The loan from the United Grand Master of Middlesex, and States last spring, so much Prince Arthur of Connaught, as criticized when it was obtained, Provincial Grand Master of now is seen to have been a vital necessity and its need still stands index to what cannot but be a been filled by members of the primary part of the new Government's activities. If the business practically continuous succession men of the Nation shall co-operate in all this, a large general-good of such appointments has taken assuredly will result, and apparentplace almost since the first Grand ly exactly this is to be the case. Lodge of Freemasons was founded During the just-closed campaign the Shoko, a merchants' and manfacturers' association; supported was twenty years after this date, the main the Kenseikai however, before the first Prince of Wales was initiated into a lodge. candidates and always on the following conditions: "Use less red tape and more business in of government; employ less politics in business; reduce government expenditures; establish budgets Wycombe, Bucks, left his wife and an audit system: prepare for £50,000, household and personal trade, not war; build a merchant

marine, not new war craft; pay more attention to foreign commerce and less to foreign politics." Mr. John Jervis Langley, of In brief, this highly influential body sets the domestic and and merchant, left £5,000 to Liverpool charities and hospitals, will be mighty well worth the watching. For nearly a decade he has personified consistently what remembered, too, that he, a diplomat of thirty-five years' trainfour times: 1900-01, 1906, 1913,

land's Foreign Office not less than and 1914-15. "It has not been forgotten that it was under his lead, in the last-named period of control,

(The Choice.)

"The little lark trilled out in glee

'Oh look, the skies are blue,' he

Why don't you come up too,' he

The little mole who burrows

Began to creep, began to creep.

'The earth is warm and dark,'

Why emulate the lark?' said he,

Alas, dear lark, I cannot fly.

You soar too high, you soar too

My place is underground, I said,

And earth shall wrap me round

WEATHER CALENDAR

the state of the s

Papered William's rooms.

About eight o'clock it

the scatterings of a shower.

-Dorothy Wordsworth.

DARE

-Rafael Sabatini.

E. S. Barlow.

And ecstasy, and ecstasy.

'And play with me?'

said he.

high.

There where I lie."

Come down and sleep.'

Mr. Frederick William Pomeroy, that the objectionably "Twenty-China. The man's downfall, indeed, was not a little due to the difficulties begotten of that unfortunate action. Whether he has earned his lesson, the future alone

**"学校"** 

called for the construction of a fire-fighting, salvage and towing vessel, dimensions of which are length 95 feet B.P., breadth 21 feet O.P. and depth 9 feet moulded. Tenders are also invited for a covered service reservoir and contingent works in connection with the Shing Mun Valley scheme of waterworks.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Senor Zanni, the Argentinian flier, has arrived at Bunder Abbas

Sub-Inspector Alfred Reynolds has been appointed an examiner of weights and measures.

Mr. L. Forster has been appointed a member of the Board of Education for two years with effect from July 26.

The name of Dr. Chu Ho-quon, M.B. (Tohuku) has been added to the register of Hongkong medical practitioners,

appointed an official Justice of the Bay and Kennedy Town-have Peace for Hongkong; Messrs. been started, with more than a P. Lauder and N. S. Brown are hundred enrolled, most by adults appointed unofficial J.P.'s, accord- who never before had the opporing to the "Gazette."

Rev. H. G. and Mrs. Stearn are steady growth. returning to the Colony on the P. & O. s.s. "Kaiser-I-Hind." which sailed from London on July 18. Other passengers for Hongkong on the same ship are Lieut-Comdr. and Mrs. Newbould, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Clemo and Mr. and Mrs. L. S. S. Stevenson.

The death took place at Bangkok gathered for rain, and I had following pneumonia, of Captain Nils F. Hjorth. The deceased, who was a native of Norway, had only been ill a fortnight. He was wellknown on the China Coast. He came out Bast in 1905 as Chief Officer, and later had command of the Bs. "Childar" and the s.s. munity of the Far Bast.

SHADOWS BEFORE. CHINA'S BIG MARKET. Coming Events Advertised CHANCES FOR AUSTRALIA.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

In The Mail.

August 2. - Coronet. Theatre: Where The Pavement Ends." August 2.-The Star Theatre The Wanderwells."

August 2. - World Theatre ; Animals acting as Men.' August . 2. Queon's Theatre Heliotrops. LAND SALE.

August 5 .- At P.W.D. Offices one lot Crown land at Shamshnipo, COMPANY MEETINGS.

September 16 .- Extraordinary the honour. general meeting of The China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at the Registered Office of the Company, Pedder Street, noon. October 3.—Second meeting of

the China Sugar Refining Co. Ltd., at Co.'s Office, Pedder Street. growing market for Australian October, 18. — Extraordinary General Meeting of Douglas S.S. including one he had received for

rescue work in the Japanese earth-October 20 .- Third meeting of

The China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at Co.'s Office, Pedder Street, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE November 5.—Further extra-

ordinary meeting of Douglas S.S. Co., Ltd., at 20 Des Voeux Road Central, noon.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

price of American Cotton for both According to the "Gazette" four additional filter-beds are tobe. constructed near Laichikok Pass. Tenders are being called for.

H.E. the Governor has given his assent, in the name and on berates in this market. Clearances half of His Majesty the King, to Ordinance No. 3 of 1924.—An Ordinance to amend the law relating to stowaways.

the heavy decline in Rupee ex-. The Hongkong order declarchange importers have not been ing Saigon to be a port where an able to meet the demand. Prices, infectious disease prevails, has however, have appreciated - \$2/8 been rescinded. per bale without leading to any

business. Quotations are :-- No. In the "Gazette" notice given that the names of the Tung Sang Co., Ltd., and Der. Wing & Co., Ltd., have been struck off the register of companies. (The latter-named company has been reconstituted.

His Majesty the King has approved the appointment of the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak to be an Unofficial Member of the Executive Council during the absence on leave of the Hon." Sir Paul Chater, | very dull. No business reported. Kt., C.M.G.

about 1,300,000. Market: quiet. Quotations: American The Hongkong Automobile \$3.75 per sack; American Straight Association has isued an up-to-date \$3.10 per sack; American Cut Off, Handbook, replete with informa-\$3.10 per sack; Shanghai Flour. tion useful to local motorists and \$3.05 per sack; Australian No. 1 tourists. It should prove a most \$3.15 per sack; Canadian Cut-off, useful addition to the guidebooks \$2.90 per sack. in putting visitors onto the ropes and reminding the local motorists what they owe to the pedestrian.

In the "Gazette" tenders are

The steadily expanding work and influence of the Hongkong Chinese Y.M.C.A. in its various departments\_is. well exemplified in its educational phase. In addition to its regularly conducted day and evening schools, which during the past term enrolled more than 400 students, a special summer school for boys is now being promoted to meet the needs of students who are behind in their regular courses or who wish to review certain subjects. Seventyeight students are enrolled in this school which began last Saturday and will continue one month.

.The popular education movement, which among other sims includes the teaching in a four months' course of at least one thousand characters to the illiterate, is being promoted by the Association. Already three teach-Mr. W. J. L. Smith has been ing centres-Wanchai, Causeway tunity to learn to read or write. This movement gives promise of

> In addition, the Y.M.C.A. promotes weekly educational lectures and clubs, dealing with a great variety of informative subjects.

> > MURDER CHARGE.

Chan Din, an Indian chauffeur, formerly, in the employ of Mr. John Arnold, appeared on remand before Mr. R. E. Lindsell at the Magistracy, yesterday afternoon. The man is charged with the "Drufar." He was of a generous murder of his wife on May 27. disposition and kindly nature. His After further evidence for the death will occasion widespread re- prosecution had been heard, the gret throughout the shipping com- case was adjourned until Tuesday

#### " WEATHER.

BRIGHT PROSPECTS,

Those who have been keeping an eye on the clerk of the weather to see how he would behave during the week-end will be gratified to learn that the "No. 1 local typhoon signal" (indicating that a gale is possible in Hongkong in 24 hours, was taken down shortly after nine o'clock last night.

a normal appearance but there are still clouds on the horizon, literally

and actually. At 9.40 this morning notice was given of a typhoon in the same position and with the same follows:-

Radius: unknown!

miles zone and almost due south of the deeds of the property conof the Colony.

A slight drop in the bardmeter, has been recorded despite the lowering of the signal. Yesterday the glass read 29,59 and this morning 29,54 but the wind force has decreased from 5 to 3. The weather report says that the typhoon Mai Hong; Westn Yuk Tsc Hong; in question is moving very slowly North, Tai Sun Kai; and South, Yi it should ultimately strike inland the Tai Sun and the Yi Tak, somewhere near Hainan Island

Manila Warnings. Consulate-General received a cable | built a Cathedral, the dormitories from Manila, stating that a cyclone of the Sacred Heart. College, and or typhbon had been "spotted' South-east of Naha. The direction was unknown. The typhoon Long. 114E. and Lat. 19N., was said to be moving West.

# TRIAL RUN.

NEW RIVER BOAT TESTED.

This morning the river sleamer "Tung On;" built by the Taikon Docks for the Tung On S.S. Co. and the first Hongkong river steamer to be litted with wireless. underwent her first sea trials, put: ting out from Taikoo at about tere

when this edition went to press. that the "Ting On" will leave the some slight trouble in her engine docks on or alient August 11 When room. She was on her way from the public will be invited to inspect | Swatow to Bangkok and had on the vessel. The sister ship "Sai board one European and 259 On" is now in the course of com- Chinese passengers. After the

# CHEQUE CHARGE.

THE AVANTED EUROPEAN.

The European for whom the Honykong Police are looking on charges of obtaining crollit frond and the hircony of a cheque book, is not believed to have been long in the Colony.

The cheques he presented were drawn on the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, "but he had no supulate that passengers can be account there.

Beau" obtaining false credit for Hongkong. Accordingly, it is supdrinks, on the way and is still posed that the "Tean's" bringing thought to be at Canton.

# ARMY FOOTBALL

PLATOON CUP:

The following matches will be played during next week at Murray Burracks in the "Montagne-Bates Platoon, Challenge Eup Competition. Rick of 5.30 p.m. :-

Monday .- 13 Platoon (Plum and Blue) v. 2 Platoon thed and Black).

Signallers (Red and White).

# MAN OVERBOARD!

DEATH ON FERRY JOURNE

class Chinese male passenger Kweilin make further attractive travelling on the Kowloon ferry reading. jumped overboard whilst the ship was under way from Hongkong to Kowloon and was drowned. Efforts made to save him were of no avail. It is believed to be a a case of suicide.

"The King and Queen of Denmar! visited the British Empire Exhibi-

About 150 members of the Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England were in-Palace by the King, as Sovereign Coffin of General Sir Dighton Probyn, V.C.; Comptroller of her vosted with honours at Backingham

# SUN'S WAR CHEST.

FRENCH MISSION MAY LOSE LAND,

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

St Peter's Building and other modern offices and residential apartments of the French Catholic Mission in the compound of the Shek Shut, Canton, may come into possession of Dr. Sun Yat-This morning the hurbour bore | sen eventually, should his son Mr. Chinese was intended for the a breakaway seems inevitable. promotion of religion, education, . A fairly large number of the swell the war chest of Dr. Sun ed yesterday. Details were as appear to have located a gold being "only chow and no pay." min'e. Mayor Sun Fo has already Position: Lat. 19N., Long. 144E. [instituted an inquiry and, in the Direction; Stationary or very slow. | meantime, has directed the Chief of the Property Deeds Examina-This position is within the 300 tion Bureau to withold recognition sent themselves for re-validation, 22142 N., Long. 114. d. 172 E will

Dr. Sun Yat-sen." Compound now occupies more than from January 1 to May 31. 60 man of land on the block lined on the East by the Pak Mak westward. If it continues to do so Tak Loo. Two prosperous streets, much improve the usefulness of the location for business, At 0,30 last night, the American On the site are already many houses for the use of the Mission. St. Peter's and other buildings are new, the latter have already been occupied by Chinese tenants for office and trade purposes. Dr. Sun's followers believe that they may get at least \$1,000,000 from the sale of the land now not actually used for missionary pur-

#### SLIGHT D'A MAGE.

SS. "TEAN" PUTS. INTO.

Early yesterday, the China o'clock. Details were not available. Navigation steamer "Tean" (agents-Messrs." Butterfield and The "China Mail" understands Swire) put into Hongkong with trouble was attended to in Taikoo Dock, the "Tean" left again vesterday and proceeded on her

A report to the Harbour Office said that the engine "was broken." However, on inquiry from Messrs. Butterfield's it was gathered that the "breakage", was very small

and of no moment. It is believed that ships of the 'Tean" class, which are engaged in the passenger traffic between Swatow and Bangkok and call at Hongkong, are allowed certain extensions of the Piracy Prevention regulations. These extensions carried between Swatow and Bang-He left the Colony by the "Paul kok but not between Swatow and passengers into Hongkong on account of engine trouble will not he taken into consideration. During the time the "Tean" was at Talkoo Dock the Chinese passengers were all kept on board-under adequatesupervision.

# ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

CHRONICLE OF AUGUST

DOINGS.

The "Monthly Messenger," the Thursday .- 1 Platoon . (Dark lorgan of St. Andrew's . Church, Blue and White v. Drams and Kowloon, opens with an exhortation by the Vicar to his Saturday,-16 Tlatoon (Black) parishioners to bear up, under the and White) v. 7 Platoon (Blue and present, "trying month." He urges them not to let-the highest part be overwhelmed by circumstances. The August number also contains a descriptive account of the week-end spent in can'p by the Kowloon Troop of Boy Scouts, and the usual notes on doings of the nonth. The extracts from the diary of the Rev. Howard S. Bailey At 8.30 a.m. yesterday, a 2nd in connection with the Siege of

During the month of July 18.24 inches of rain fell, according to the gauge at the Botanical Gardens. The heaviest fall was 2.18 inches on July 16, while 1.96 inches were registered on July 24. Rain fell every day except eight.

A wreath, "from his beloved the candidates were the Duke of Majesty's Household, at the funeral at Kensal-green, after a memorial the Duchess of York, as a Lady of service at the Chapel Royal, St.

#### CHW ONLY!

SHAMEEN STRIKERS IN NEED OF CASH.

. No improvement in the Shameen strike situation can be recorded. On Thursday it seemed as if a conference towards which the Canton Government had used its influences, would bring some result, but nothing eventuated as the strike leaders were obdurate. It is reported that the Canton Sun Fo, now Mayor of Canton, Government signified to the succeed in reclaiming them." It is leaders that it was in favour of a alleged that the lease to settlement but the strike "bosses" the French Government by the refused to be influenced and to-day

and charity. Those working to actual strikers have openly expressed dissatisfaction their cry

#### MARINERS NOTE.

The "Gazette" notifies that the cerned, should the owners pre- Beckwith" Bell at Lat. 22 deg. as required by a recent order of discontinue sounding from Seps tember, I, and in future will only The French Catholic Mission operate during the foggy season

# TO MARINERS

S.S. "HEUNGSHAN" WRECK.

Mr. J. A. Samples, the acting Harbour Master-at Canto, has issued a notice, warning mariners. in the vicinity of Junk Rock, are near completion. Steamers of whatever size, when nearing, and a group of jewellers. passing the sunken vessel, are to go as slow as possible in order to avoid causing a surge which might damage the works and endanger

of the Hongkong and Shanghai three years it has been deposited in Bank, home on leave, has been three years it has been deposited in killed in a motor accident; at the vaults of the State Pledge Downpatrick. His companion, | Office as a security for a loan to minentifootball official, has had to Thuillier, better known as Mile. be taken to hospital in Belfast. Mr. Sheridan had been in the Batavia and Sourabaya branches demobilisation.

#### CZAR'S DIAMOND.

£250,000 OFFER TO WOMAN WHO PLEDGED IT.

The famous Russian ... Imperial that salvage operations for the blue diamond is being offered for rising of the "Heungshan," sunk sale at Nice, and it is reported that £250,000 has been offered for it by

The blue diamond, which was centuries one of the most prized crown jewels of the Russian Imperial Family, is said to have originally belonged to an Indian A London telegram announces temple. It is of a peculiar blue that Mr. Robert Sheridan, a clerk shade and weighs 43 carats. For named Irvine, the son of a pro- its present owner, Mile. Suzamo,

Arrangements having been of the Hongkong and Shanghai made between Mile. Primrose and Bank. He first came to the East a mancial syndicate for the famous in May 1919, after serving with the jewel to be withdrawn from the British Expeditionary Force from State Pledge Office and for its sale 1915 to 1919. He joined the staff. to be negofated, it is stated that of the Hougkong and Shang- several offers for its purchase have hai Banking Corporation on been received, main's from American firms.

# LOCAL "BEGGAR" ARMIES.

During the last two weeks Hongkong's streets have been crowded with processions all bent on collecting funds' for relief in "flood devastated areas around Canton. One organisation-the Chung Sing Benevolent Society-designated its details as "the 1st Army," ."the rear and flank," "commander-in-chief," "patrol officer," etc., and described its drives as going into action.

By courtesy of the "Wah Tsz Yat Po" we give below some of the views of Hongkong's streetso The banners graphically describe the suffering and give figures of the numbers of homes destroyed and people rendered destitute. It will be noticed that each procession includes a band.



In Chinatown. The Chung Sing Society headed by Mr. Tsang Foo (in long coat and topee). the well-known philanthropist.



Another view of the same "drive."



Along Des Vœux Road Central. The Confucius Society with their band and banners.

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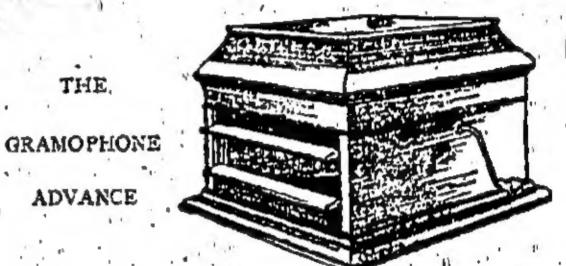
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MAY FORCE ISSUE.

PROBLEM.

(Reuter's Service.)

IRISH

London, August 1. In the House of Commons, replying to Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Mr. J. H. Thomas said that the report of the Judicial Committee was presented to His Majesty yesterday. The report held that the refusal of the Government of North Ireland to appoint a member to the Boundary Commission was a contingency unforeseen at the time of the passage of the Act of Parliament implementing the Irish Treaty. If the refusal was maintained there was no constitutional means under existing statutes of bringing the Commission into existence. The report raised grave issues. The Government was bound in -honour to secure the carrying out of the undoubted intention of Parliament when it ratified the Treaty (Minis-

terial cheers). " To Force The Issue. Mr. J. H. Thomas said that the Government earnestly hoped that the Government of North Ireland even at the late stage, would appoint a commissioner. If this hope were not fulfilled the Government would forthwith introduce legislation giving effect to the undoubted intention of the Irish treaty and would press the passage of the legislation regardless of the consequence to themselves, as the honour not merely of the Government, but that of the country was involved in seeing that the obligation of the treaty imposed on the United Kingdom was fulfilled in the spirit as well as in the letter. Both his colleagues and himself were prepared not to omit any step necessary to place the good faith of parliament and of the people beyond question (Ministerial and Liberal cheers).

Mr. Lloyd George expressed great satisfaction in the announcement of the opposition dissent. He himself and his colleagues would support the Government measures necessary to make clear. to the Empire and to the world that the Government was not prepared to shuffle out of the bargain on the mere question of the machinery to carry out its agree-

ment. (Liberal cheers). Colonel Ashley (Conservative) angrily asked if it is was an honourable agreement with Ulster. Mr. Thomas replied that there was nothing more disastrous in this issue than passionate feeling.

Meeting Arranged. Mr. Thomas continued that at / the request of Mr. Ramsay Mac-Donald he had invited Mr. Wm. T. Dec. 12.-P. & O. Cosgrave and Sir James Craig to meet him in London. Mr. Thomas still believed in the possibility of 'a penceful settlement. Mr. Ronald Mc'Neill (Conservative) asked if Mr. Thomas realised that the Government's assumption that this was a mere drafting oversight | Aug. 22.-H.A.L. was not universal, and would be hotly contested. Mr. Thomas said he was convinced that any legislation on this question would be Dec 11.-N. L. hotly contested, but it must not be forgotten that the treaty was not merely ratified by Parliament, but had been endorsed at the general

election. Mr. Thomas said that legislation would not be introduced until after meeting of Mr. Cosgrave and Dec. 10.- E. A. Sir James Craig. Mr. Wedgwood Benn asked if, in the event of the introduction of the bill if necessary, it would be passed through all stages before the recess. Mr. Thomas said he wanted nothing done to hinder the possibility of a settlement. For him to make such an announcement would have this effect, but emphasised that no steps would be left' untaken to prove to the world conclusively before Parliament rises, what Government intended to do.

Mr. J. H. Thomas, announced in the House of Commons that Mr W. T. Cosgrave, President of the Irish Free State and Sir James Craig, Prime Minister of North Ireland, had been invited to Lon don, and that if they failed agree in regard to the appoint ment of a Boundary Commission the Government would immediate ly introduce legislation to give effect to the undoubted intention of the treaty between Britain and Ireland, and would press passage regardless of its consequences to the Government.

# WEATHERBOUND?

LAREN AND PARTY A PETROPAVLOVSK.

(Reuter's Service.)

Tokyo, August 1. Squadron Leader MacLaren and the party of British fliers are still at Petropavlovski No details have Half bour, ................ 30 been received here, but it is be- One hour, ................. 40 lieved that the party is weather- Every subsequent

# NOTICE TO SHIPPERS

VESSELS DUE.

FROM BANGROK. Aug. 13.-E. A. Bintang. Barries. 15.--E. A. FROM JAPAN. ug. 8.-J.C.J.L. Tiltaroom. Empress of Aflia. 1c.-J.C.J.L. Tilliwong. FROM SINGAPORE. sarpadon. . ug. 4. B. F. Memmon. 6.—B. F.

Machaon. 12.-B. F. 19 —B. F. Chucus. 21 -B. F. Eumagu 3. 80. - B. F. Helenus. Rheaus. Sept. 7. - B. F. Autolycus. 10.-B F. 15.-B. F. Patrocus. 16.-H.F. Tydous. 27 -B. F. Calchas.

FROM CALCUTTA. Aug. 7.-1. 1. FROM BOMBAY. vg. 7. -P. & O. Sardinia. FROM JAVA. 6.—J.C.J.L. 16.—J.C.J.L. Ti manook. Tikandi.

FROM MANILA. Pres. Jackson. tug. 3.—A. O. L. 8.—U.S.S.B. West Faraion. 28.-U.S.S.B. Wost Prospect. . FROM SAIGON. Aug. 28.-U.S.S.B. West Prospict. FROM ZAMBOANGA & CEBU.

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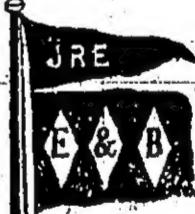
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MIRZAPORE,"	1 6,715	1 7th Aug.	S'apore, Penang, Colombo & B'ba;
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"TAKADA"	8,845	1 20th Aug-	Sirigapore, Penang & Calcutta.
"TALMA"	10,000	2nd Rept	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
"TILAWA"	. 10,00	o   6th Sept	Singapore, Penang & Celentta.

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The B F. s.s. "Eurypylus" fro Liverpool left Singapore on July 28 p m. for this port and is due here to-morrew The C.P.s., R.M.S. "Empress of Australia" in due at Shanghai to-morrow

The B. F. s.s. "Rhexenor" for Marsoilles, London, Huil, Rotterdam and Hamburg is due here to day. The vessel will be despatched at daylight to morrow.

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Singapore for this port on July 30 and may be expected to arrive here on Aug. 4.
The O.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of Canada" arrived at Yokohama on July 26 a m. left Yokohama on July 26 n.m. and is due at Vancouver on August 4. The D.S.L. s.s. " Pres. Garfield " which is due at this port on Aug. 4, sailed from San Francisco on July 6 op rehedule..

The B. F. s s. "Memnon" from I iver. pool left, Singapore on July 31 for this port and is due here on Aug. 6. Per C.P.S., R.M S. " I'mpress of Australia " is due at Hongkong on Aug.

6 at 5 p.m. The A.O.L. s.s. "Pres. Jackson is due here at 7 s.m. spg. 5 and will sail for Victoria and Coattle via Shanghai and Japan at 10 a.m. Aug. 7. The A.O.L. B.s. " Pres. Jeffer son which is due at this port on Aug. 9 sailed from Scattle on July 19 on schedule. The N.Y.K. s.s. "Kan'o Maru" (Enropen-Passenger Time) left London for Hongkong ria Sucz on July 5 and is

expected here on Anguet 12. The B. F. s.s. Mschaon " left Liverpool on July 11 for Straits. Hongkong. Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is The B.F. s.s. "Glancus" left Liver-

pool on July 19 for Straits Hengkong Shanghai and Hankow and is due here on or about Aug. 18. The B. F. s.s. "Eumaeus" left Liverpool on July 18 for Hongkong Shanghai, Taku and Dalny and is due here on or

about Aug. 21. The D.L S. s.s. " Pres. Polk" which is due at this port on Aug. 18 sailed from San Francisco on July 18 on schedule. The B. F. c.s. "Atrens" left New York on July a for Snez, Singapore, Manila and Hongkong and is due here on or

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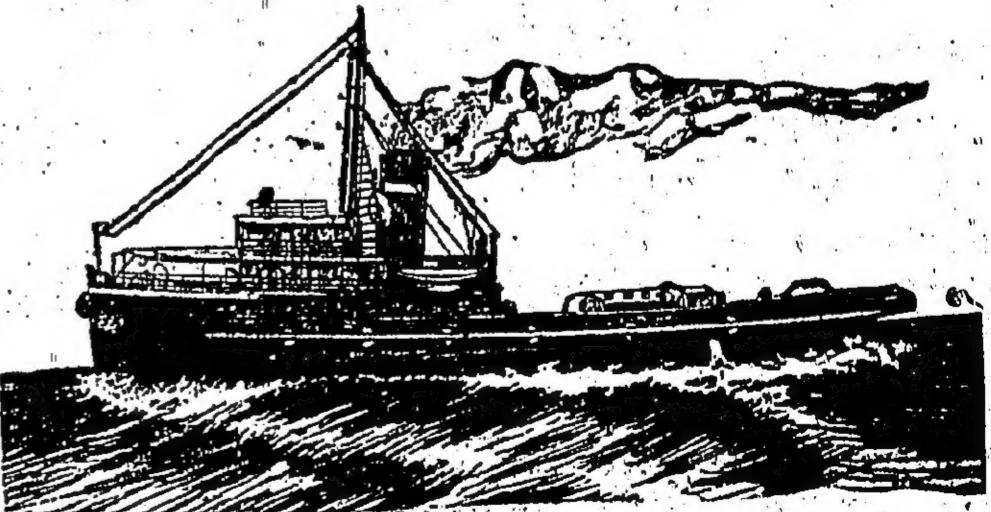
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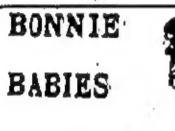
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Foreign Affairs :

With a view to the expulsion before. of Mr. Cunard Cummins, the Ministry for Foreign Affairs considers it necessary to make the it had not the slightest intention of

and does not hold, any diplomatic character; he was solely charged with the custody of the archives of the British Legation, and owing to diplomatic relations between Great British and discourteous statements of the great discourte di Great Britain and Mexico being suspended he could not deal with any business between his Government and the Mexican in an official the British Government again

2. Mr. Cummins has been the principal obstacle in the way of the resumption of relations between Mexico and Great Britain, because reparation. As the Mexican Government, which, for the latter's dignity, requires reparation. As the Mexican Government, which, for the latter's dignity, requires reparation. his own prejudices and interests ernment realised that there was no led him to report to his own Gov- way of reaching an agreement with ernment in a form that was almost the British Government on this inaccurate and binsed.

3. In the character of a confidential representative of England he sent the Mexican Chancellory various Notes that did not comply with the requisites of diplomati correspondence, but were nearly always couched in a violent tone, showing a lack of respect for the Mexican Government.

4. In view of these circumstances the Mexican Government, through the proper channels, two years ago formulated representa-tions to the British Government, setting forth the complaints it had to make against Mr. Cummins, and hinting that pending affairs would be the more easily settled were the said gentleman retired from hi post and succeeded by another more calm and courteous personality." In short, it was intimated that Mr. Cummins was, not persona grata.

5. The Foreign Office did not think it convenient to lend its ear to these friendly representations, and maintained Mr. Cummins Mexico in spite of everything. Accordingly, the Mexican Government felt compelled by the sistence of Mr. Cummins in his previous conduct to notify the British Consol-General on January of Mexico;

To of the present year that it would all courses. In the assigned date for chapter, dealing with a typical criminal. Thus her example of a William and that, consequently, whatever business, there might be would have to be transacted through another channel, and that there would be no objection to its being carried on through the Consul. Mr. King, himself, should Great Britain sures to enforce compliance with there were consigned to the British ever, it proceeds to make known to Consul, to be transmitted by him international public opinion and to to his Government, two letters the Mexican people the motives

6. The attitude of Mr. > Cummins was carried to such extremes ing a reason ask for the withdrawal in personal acts he exhibited his of any diplomatist or agent, with-

7. Lastly, and in the matter of the claims put forward by Mrs. Evans, an Englishwoman, he oncemore manifested his uncompromising spirit, and was himself the obstacle in the way of the satisfactory settlement desired and proposed by the Mexican Government being arrived at with that lady, it had been decided to notify him of report to his Government, exaggerating the facts and alleging others that were absolutely false, further delay. To sum up, it must system must be kept clean and the as, for example, when he affirmed be pointed out that the Mexican functions active and regular, for which bed bornt and plundered the recomment has acted in this in-Pickettes cently regulate the liver and perty of the said lady and that President Obregon had ordered armed men to be sent against her. He once more sent a highly disrespectful note to the Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

8. Then the Mexican Government, on May 3 last, through its Consul-General in Great Britain, once more pointed out to the British Government the impropriety of Mr. Cummins's conduct and the inaccuracy of his reports, requesting it to withdraw him; but unfortunately the British Government replied that it considered Mr. Cum. mins's notes justified and that it necessarily had to give credit to what was affirmed by its represen-

9. In this state of things the Government intimated that if would be compelled to expel Mr. Cummins as foreigner, whose presence in the country was undesirable, if the British Government did not bring itself to withdraw him, as was to be hoped it would do for the sake of the good relations that the official version of the position ought to exist between the two countries. The British Government, replied that Sir Thomas Hohler, new confidential represen-"This evening, the following to come to Mexico, would start in tative of Great Britain; appointed declaration was, handed to the June, and that as soon as that Mexican Press by the Ministry for gentleman arrived Mr. Cummins would be withdrawn, adding that it saw no reason for doing so

10. In view of this manifestation

of the British Government, the

suspending the conversations that 1. Mr. Cummins has not held, had been commenced, nor the ratified the attitude of Mr. Cumpoint, it advised Mr. Cummins that he would have to leave the territory of the Republic within a week after the notification made to him, and as he did not comply therewith, his expulsion was decreed.

11." Nevertheless, after the date had been fixed on which Mr. Cummins was to leave the country, i reply to a letter from the British Government to our Consul in London, a last effort was made by Mexico to settle the incident by the suggestion that the British Govern-ment itself should recall Mr. Cunmins, thats avoiding any publicity being given to the affair, inasmuch made by Mexico to the effect that and it is admirably written. the mere presence of a calm and She reduces the motives for courteous representative would murder to six gain, revenge, suffice to settle the situation that elimination of an awkward person,

country has expired and he has not left, notwithstanding the repeated Palmer, whose wholesale poisonefforts made to settle this affair ing procured him the honour of a with England in a friendly manner, the Mexican Government findsitself under the painful necessity of dictating all the necessary meaconched in discourteous language that have determined this resolve, which Mr. Cummins had sent the inasmuch as it is a commonplace of international law that a country can'at any time and without assignwant of respect for some Mexican ling him personal non grata, while out further procedure than declarif it is lementary duty of com tesy for the country concerned

withdraw him immediately. regard to this particular case, there are numerous precedents in international law, some even in Mexico itself, among others that of a Bri tish Minister Plenipotentiary 1916, who, on being informed that to leave the country as persona non grata, quitted Mexico the day after cident with all the prudence and all the courtesy that can be expected by one Government from another Government, especially when a country is in question like England, with which Mexico is at all times disposed to resume

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desirous of giving it publicity or to provoke any measure of violence. is one that has deeply interested Much less could it be thought that mankind, and people of such Mexico was trying to suspend the widely different taste as her rela-conversations with Sir Thomas tive, Tennyson, the Poet Laureate, Hohler, as his despatch to Mexico and Jowett, the Master of Balliol, was a step on the part of the Bri- were always eager to discuss it. tish Government that coincided Her book is one of real research, with the reiterated representations not a mere hurried compilation,

has prevailed with England during jealousy, love of killing, and the last few years against the wish conviction. To each of these murderer for gain is William place in the "Dictionary of

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There are monsters who kill for the mere pleasure of killing: "Chapman, the poisoner.

although he poisoned some women to get rid of them, yet poisoned! Thursday afternoon in St. John's others simply for the fun of the Cathedral. The principals were thing, so to speak. He had been Mr. E. L Matteson, the popular notorious as a boy for his practice Manager of the Admiral Oriental' of torturing animals." So also Palmer as a boy "in-

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"BAVU." STAR'S GREAT MYSTERY PICTURE.

will be showing at the Star pared to "shoot" the episode in Theatre to-morrow and Monday in the picture where the musician-"Bavu," which stars Estelle | hero is told that he will never be Taylor, Forrest Stanley Wallace able to play again. Beery, Sylvin Breamer and Josef Swickard. The following gives a ordered Borzage of the cantor. brief impression of the story:-Bayu-who is he? An illiterate peasant! A national leader! A the weird strains of "Kol" Nidre." one conveyance into another, none behind him! In peaceful, blood- Hebrew melody — the most a rearing racer, for the story of father speaks happily of Gregson's chairs are smashed, a revolver less days he calls on the peasantry emotional ever written some musi- "Forever", deals with a period of licences and the most human heart—reading appeal are well advent gasoline craze, and permits Gregson in a good light before his falls, a victim of heart failure. leader of the people, sways the known to anyone who has attended of no means of locomotion that daughter. The trader is unwords. Then the home of Prince "Humoresque" became conscious Miss Ferguson and Mr. Reid had Pastor Spener must look out for father finds her. He consents to Markoff is raided by the people of its effects immediately. Vera their first ride together in a horseand the Princess Markoff, who had Gorden, playing the old mother, drawn victoria, a vehicle borrow- Matilda flinches as her father tells known Mischka as her servant, wept real tears. Gaston Glass, ed from the Vanderbilt collection her that Gregson has asked for two men come to him from his finds him her protector! Then the the hero, seemed suddenly to have in New York by the Paramount her hand. great fight between the beast, lost his best friend. Even the eastern studios. Miss Ferguson | Late that day, Motauri comes to they say. He is a white man, Bavu, and the man. Mischka, electrician looked wee-begone and next was drawn across the French her under the arbor of passion When his father died he had begins. A murder of a peasant is the camera-man forgot to turn the street set in the studio in an vines. She tells him of her fear entrusted the boy to their chief. laid to the royal soldiers and the zage to the musicians and even In subsequent scenes the two Motauri pleads that she must go Motauri to take his place. upheaval starts. Bavu gets the his voice was a little quavery. "I ride together in a Venetian gon- away with him now—to the island Then we see Matilda Markoff jewels, and, not really a want pathos but I can't afford to dola, propelled by a picturesque where he is chief. He paints a Motauri on the deck of an outward patriot at heart, goes to Mischka | turn this place into a morgue." try. Mischka, wanting to save the jazz turn, instead and immediately Algerian scenes. Mr. Reid's final nights of love. Overcome by the and of the years of love before Princess and knowing that the restored the smile to everyone's mount was an English hunter in nearness of the realization of her them, as Pastor Spener looks on only way to get her out of the cheeks. country is to marry her and take her out himself, tries to trick Bavu with a passport and wedding licence supposedly for Bavu, but really made out for Mischka himself. Illiterate Bavu can't read it and is duped until, while Mischka and the Princess are in his lair, he learns from a faithful sweetheart the meaning of the words on the passport. Then in the shadowy room with its secret doors and passages, its mysterious figures that come and go, Bavu and Mischka fight the fight of liberty! Mischka, wounded; hides in a huge basket. Bavu runs a sword through the basket. Out of the inferno of mad intrigue swift moving figures run to sleighs outdoors and a terrific race over the white snows is started with Love in the lead and mystery bringing up the rear with ghostly demons of fear!

THE CANINE-SIX.

The great American play, "The Famous Mrs. Fair," by James Forbes, is the first of a series of Fred Niblo productions for Metro-Louis B. Mayer auspices. The screen adaptation is by Frances Marion. In the cast are Myrtle Stedman, enacting the title role; Huntly Gordon, Marguerite De La Motte, Cullen Landis, Ward Crane, Carmel Myers, Helen Ferguson. The photography is by John Van

# NEMA CHATTER.

SCREEN BEAUTY.

Writes Dance Music.

Marguerite de la Motte, the screen beauty who plays an im- CORONET'S GREAT ROMANCE portant part in the Fred Niblo Famous Mrs. Fair," is rapidly winning fame as a composer of dance music. She has many suc-

Los Angeles. 🐇 🕝 where it was voted the title, of the Southern seas. of the talented actress's composi- ed in vain. There was only one Fairbanks for the Production of tions, "Jacamammy Lullaby," has available white man on the island Robin Hood." already been published and is \_ Gregson, an unscrupulous In France and Mexico the movie

part in "The Famous Mrs. Fair," tion of love and romance, she contests in those two countries James Forbes's great American realizes that her dream has come were conducted by the leading play, presented as a Metro-Louis true. B. Mayer production. This photo- But Motauri is not of the ways of the vote has been received by play is the first of a series of Ered of her people. He is a native, a Mr. Fairbanks at Hollywood. distributed by MetroPictures Cor- woodland god, content to wander ture public was asked to consider poration. Miss De La Motte has the pathless forests and dream every angle of the film production appeared in other photoplays idly on the beach, while others -the acting, the settings, the under Mr. Niblo's direction, hav, work to buy vile rum at Gregson's appeal, the story and the photoing scored emphatically in "The "Cafe." And Gregson hates this graphy. Mark of Zorro" and "The Three handsome bronze youth because of "Douglas Fairbanks in Robin

ing in the cast of "The Famous own, and swears to have her, Myrtle Stedman, Cullen Landis, regards him as an enemy to his Gregson's wicked eyes, she con- Shalit, manager of the St. Louis, Mrs. Fair" are Huntly Gordon, although he knows her father Ward Crane, Carmel Myers and flock. The trader knows nothing sents. So they begin their United Artists Corporation branch in the highest social circles, this Helen Ferguson.

WALLACE REID.

Entirely New Role in "Forever.

long nosed racing automobile, rum shop and become a member line at Motouri. She goes to show and students. We are a Hebrew cantor and his choir changed his conveyance, also his of the church. When Matilda door, and hears the trader ques- view we enjoyed so much," The year's biggest mystery film to the studio. The director prespeed, in "Forever" George Fitz- comes in Gregson refers to the tioning him about her, but her maurice's Paramount picture pro- fact that he has promised to lover is silent. Gregson hears a duction, in which he is co-starring with Elsie Ferguson and which will be the feature at the Corone Theatre shortly. In their newest The Hebrew choir struck into picture the two stars step from

the fox hunt scenes.

SOUTH SEAS FILM.

"Where The Pavement

Ends."

romance begins. There is no hand.

Other celebrated players appear- Gregson wants Matilda for his the votes.

stand under the broken lantern of death in the roaring waters.

knowingly. A great fear strikes the room. her as she realizes that this man tine romance.

married and a very rich man. the couch on her porch, where her

Chosen As Best Photoplay of 1923.

"Robin Hood," which comes to the Star Theatre, on Tuesday, was the first choice of photoplay "fans" in the United States, photoplay production of "The Story Of An Intensely Romantic France and Mexico, as the most noted cinema production of 1923, according to the returns from the Where the pavement ends, there three countries which are now in

cessful dance numbers to her pavement in Wailon-and there is . In the United States this Faircredit, and her, two most, recent, much gromance, yet Matilda banks production, a United Artists ones have scored tremendously in Spener, daughter of the mission- release, received the highest vote ary, goes wanting, at least until by more than 300,000 in a contest Motauri comes into her life to conducted by the "Photoplay Her latest fox trot was recently make real the dreams she dreamed Magazine," and Mr. Fairbanke introduced at the Club Royale, of romance, under the soft moon received the gold medal, annually offered by the "Photoplay Maga-"Mediterranean Moon." Another But before he came she dream- zine." It is inscribed "To Douglas

becoming a popular success. - trader, keeper of a rum shop. So "Fans" also voted first honours to Miss De La Motte has a leading when Motauri comes, the incarna- the Fairbank's production. The "fan" magazines, and a certificate

Niblo productions which will be chief of a nearby island, a young In their voting the motion pic-In each instance his aristocratic independence. Hood" received the majority of

> of the girl's affair with Motauri, perilous journey down the ravine office, and went on to say; But early one evening he pieks toward the beach. Time after "Through your kindness this them up with his telescope as they time. Motauri saves her from picture was shown to a number of good, fast action to keep it from

not quite make out her companion, No other is available. While he among the best films made. The James Forbes' famous stage creais gone a terrific tropical storm fear that it might have objection- tion and affording exciting con-"A few days later, Gregson calls breaks. All night long, Matilda able features is altogether ground- trast to the quietly tense developon Pastor. Spener. He wants to wanders terror-stricken in the less. It is so good that it deserves ments of the story are a number be a friend. No sense in white roaring hurricane. Finally she widespread distribution. We hope of big melodramatic scenae which Wallace Reid, who generally is men living as enemies on a lonely straggles to a strange house. As to secure it at an early date for a will bring a thrill to the more blase visualized behind the wheel of a tropical island. The trader tells she stands near the window, she showing before the University of theatregoers. donate a new porch-lantern to the noise at the door. "He opens it church, and he looks at the girl suddenly, and Matilda falls into

He swings a rope whip a knows something of her clandes- Motauri, as the youth leaps at him. They fight with fierce hate After he is gone, Matilda's for love and life. A table tips, seems exceedingly anxious to place misses, but a moment later he

Motauri carries Matilda back to As Motauri stands on the beach,

own island. He is no longer chief,

brigand. After that they ride beautiful picture of their future bound vessel, dreaming dreams of So the choir played a Ghetto together on a camel in the happiness, of their days and their love under the passion vine

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"Robin Hood" is a magnificent picture, wrote the Rev. J. O'Boyle, of the faculty of St. Louis University, a Catholic theological school. at St. Louis, Mo., after this Douglas Fairbanks picture had been screened for his benefit. The letter was written to William A

University professors, and the being confused with the ordinary the porch of the little mission. Near the beach, Motauri goes unanimous verdict was that it tea party plot. Matilda he sees plainly. He can- off to get one of Gregson's boats, stands out very prominently

STUDIO LOT FLOODED.

Where the Pavement Ends" in acquaintance with the famous Everglades when the water rose and in the form of a lake completely surrounded the studio buildings in which Mr. Ingram was at work. The Metro director established connection with the highway and between the buildings by means of cance and motordriven rafts. The flood paused just one inch below the floor level. roadster, Mr. Landis, in another Hundreds of acres, formerly dry episode of the picture, skids his land, became for a few days the car on a wet pavement at a fortyplayground of the undersea mile gait, making a sharp hairpin not occurred for ten years. It will able Dudley Gillette. His overbe rendered impossible in the taking the villain precipitates a future by the construction of new fight that for bitterness and

Rex Ingram production for Metro, Fortunately, the production is now at the Coronet Theatre. It schedule allowed both players a was: adapted from John Russell's week's rest after the affair. story by Mr. Ingram, and photographed by John F. Seitz. Alice Famous Mrs. Fair" to the screen. Terry and Ramon Novarro have In the cast are Myrtle Stedman, leading roles.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* MANY THRILLS.

> Notable Scenes In "Famous Mrs. Fair."

Although Fred Niblo's picturization of the great American play, "The Famous Mrs. Fair," coming soon to the Coronet Theatre, deals with the lives of persons moving Metro-Louis B. Mayer production has more than enough thrills and

Blending into the main theme of

Probably the most spectacular event in the Fred Niblo production. is a race in the dead of night between a through passenger train and high-powered roadster. Rex Ingram, while making Cullen Landis, at the wheel, took several chances in getting realism for the screen. Roaring along at-Miami, Florida, made a close breakneck speed on the state highway that parallels the railroad tracks in Santa Barbara County, dodging cars along the route, making sharp turns.on mountain roads, scaling steep grades, Mr. Landis gave the cameraman something to talk

Flirting again with fate in his nhabitants. Such an overflow had turn in his pursuit of the despicrealism is rivalled only by the 'Where the Pavement Ends," a famous battle in "The Spoilers."

Frances Marion adapted "The Huntly Gordon, Marguerite De La Motte, Huntly Gordon, Marguerite De La Motte, Cullen Landis, Ward Crane, Carmel Myers and Helen Ferguson.

A RADIO ANTENOR. # 5

An enterprising newspaper in Miami, Florida, where Rex Ingram was making "Where the Pavement" Ends," his latest production for Metro, now at the Coronet Theatre, induced Alice Terry to talk over the radiophone to tho: thousands of listeners in tho surrounding states. The only, trouble now, writes one of these radio-film fans, is that when you see her you can't hear her and when you hear her she isn't anywhere in sight.

Meanwhile Miss Terry, herself, has become an ardent radio-fan. One day, when listening to a particularly poor singer, Mr. Ingram exclaimed in dismay: "Who is that man, anyway?"

Miss Terry, thinking of her own apparatus, heard him only partly. Oh, probably one of those radioantenors," she replied absentmindedly.

"Where the Pavement Ends" was adapted by Rex Ingram from John Russell's story and photographed by John F. Seitz. Alico Terry and Ramon Novarro play leading roles.

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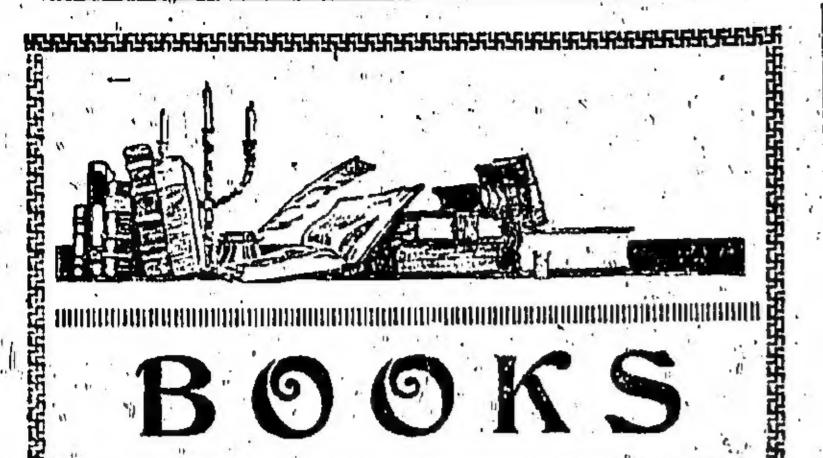
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Five Days Of A Revolution.

ant factor in the Revolution Busi-

ness. According to one story it

to receive five Mexican dollars for

each battle, The first buttle

money was forthcoming, but the

second battle money was held, up-

No pay, ergo, no light. The Yun-

nan and the Kwangsi troops were

Tast approaching on the West while

Sun Yat-sen's forces under Gen-

operations around Poochow, were

adváncing from Pukien Province

Yown reserves at Waichow. The

lastily that discretion was the

would notify me "in the morning."

were like a weird kaleidoscope of troops are largely mercenary and facing the serious problem of how sist and inevitably commit 20, unknown world.

Arrising s in Canton on The in juging of January 15th, my first thought was to interview General Chen; Chinng-ming, the Military Cavigrov who "still held "the belonger of apower, although, the award of Daniocles was already mangided over his head." G. H. Q. was out of the proper sat the foot of Cloud Mountain, near the Trimple of Kwim the Guddess of Morey and les "was seeing me one,"

hand broad who had been furnishin the "singus of war," uitder-Last, " arrange the meeting, and w' him the hour a inessage, came General Chen's right-band man, the Chief of Staff of the Chaterose Army, General Wong From who was also Director of "Acsenal," was awating the inp vale office of a certain bank. 6. P. stime I arrived the General That been waiting some half hour. with white inward sentiment of an - | Better part of valour and departed |. e siness mary be imagined where or remembers that even then he · v · prranging to escape from the C y in company with his disdifficultished Chief. It was then 4: Ave-thirty and three hours later Tray were on a train, which by six

to wavel as ofar as Sheklang. Fordly any of the rolling stock of this Canton-Kowloon; R. R. could by made to function as the equipan ent had been captured and then nule sed sadly.

Characthing-ming had to retreat camouffage and that it was now; or tind-the new bord of Canton. In I

never, if I were to see the Great Man, so I suggested several rensons why the meeting might not speaks very well):

harmoniously than the nationals their foremost barrister: , Old victorious from Sam Shin and Ho- ing Bee reciprocuting his love, straightened out and only a queswhere the gold is an all-import able position upon his shoulders. The story goes on to describe would be willing to grant that the, brings in their lives. was agreed that each soldier" was General was busy. The interview ended with the same case and cour -! our unknown author has made tesy with which it had begun.

General Chen Chinng-ming had nature. taken himself out of the picture, notes forgetting however to take with him mucli quaterial from the Associal, together with its Director, eral Hui Sung-chi after victorious Rieneral Wong Keong, and money from the Mint and the Treasury. .» #"The King is dead, long live the i

straight towards General Cherry, King." Commander-in-Chief saw himself by pice of the river ferry was heard little man, with a bad stammer. being caught in a pair of pincers, [as General Chen's anen were! His sketches 'of cockney' life are the kind of strategical operation transported out of the city, truer than those of any other which was so effective against the Everything that good be pressed writer, clargely because "he goes Germans in the last days of the jung service on the river, all man- straight to life for them. He'll sit Great War. With disaffected ner of graft, carried its quota to for hours in order to get a real slice froops and an empty treasury. The mainland trail for safety. General Chen Chinngsming decided i

. Canton had fallen:

forthwith towards his bonne base, i Waichow. Remembering this, agmy retreated in ! double quick stationed at Brighton. Asked by married man. "-Quedable Ancemy interview with General Wong time out of Canton, and their place his O.C. the nature of his profess doles, by D. B. Knox. (Fisher, takes on 'a comic opera aspect. was taken by others, numbering in sion, he replied: "An author." The General was in givilian all about 30,000 troops, of all sorts, Whereupon the other said: "Oh. tothes. Whe advertise when one a free-for all mob under no less that's good, because you'll have a is retiring from the enemy? His than forty-seven leaders, acknows for of writing to do," will promptly manner was courtest itself. He ledging for Commander-in-Chief-Imade-him on Army clerk

listened with grazic attention to my | It was said that at least sixty dif- ! request for an inerview with his ferent proclamations from as many "Generals" were posted up in the the absence of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, Chief and said that if the General streets of Canton in the subsequent this was not easy. were in the City he thought it could be arranged and that he

It was not necessary to pursue If was reported that General, My instinct told me that this was General Chen further but rather to A GOOD NOVEL.

This is a cleverly written novel prove disadvantageous to the Gen- which portrays very truly the life eral, finishing with the remark that of American youth in a provincial since the Commander-in-Chief was "town. Guy Plummer, the helo of so very busy, it would be as well the story, a much-looked-up-to off my feed, As gentle a brace of ing considerably less; he had to have the honour accorded that youthful prodigy of his school, and kidneys as ever you saw. . . . suffered all his life from an inherent afternoon, whereupon the General a boy of great promise, is the only I had to cover them up-they stared dread of shaving, and the greater broke out in English (we had claus of a very dogmatic and so reproachfully. I tell you I've portion of his face was in const affected and no relimice to be less unsophisticated friends towards L (Ward, Lock). 78, 6d, net. placed upon many of others. The the girls of his set; and the liberties iritling matter of the new army they take with them. In his inequipment being composed of Ger- nocence he first admires but afterman guns and Italian ammunition. Wards falls violently in love with which did not fit them any more Bee Chew, the pretty daughter of themselves; hordes of advancing thew is unfortunately a pagan, and Kwangsi and, Yanmanese troops a mote in his father's eye. Findhow; personal affairs, to be makes bold advances and regular, visits until they find the fire of The dive days I spent in Canton because of shortage of finids. The tion of hours before her would be passion too much for them to rehave an uppleasant liabit of going to preserve his head in a comfort- great indiscretion. From there, Yes, any, unprejudiced observer misery the child of their union In weaving this dramatic plot

> i great hit, especially with his won-The next morning I found that | derful characterization of human (West of the Water Tower. Annon, John Long, 76, 6d.

NEIL LYONS.

It's nice to see that Seil Lyons new book. "Love as All," is being All day and all night the hoursel reviewed so well. Lyons is a shy from life, which in the telling may only becapy half a page.

When his play, "Landon Pride"

\*From Chinese Lanterns. Graces & Phonosome Hhistrated, Demy Svo. Bd. net.

FROM-THE NEW BOOKS.

"The worst has happened: I'm No taller than myself, and weigh-

The Dance of the Pen and lok Club was held at the Lotus Rooms, Knightsbridge, that barrack-like building which seems to exist only for these sad affairs. "The Pen and lak evidently went in quality in its membership enabler than quantity; and the band, when arrived, was giving out peculiarly tinny sound which bands always produce in very large rooms that are only one-sixth part full. The few couples dancing on the board acres of floor appeared sombre and infrospective, as if they were meditating on the body up-'stairs and realising that all flesh is as grass. Around the room, on those gilt chairs which are only seen in subscription dance halls. weird beings were taking in undertones, probably about the trend Scandinavian literature. In facts the only bright spot on the whole gloomy business was tortoise-shell-rimmed, spectacles. "—Ukridge, by P. G. Wodehouse. (Herbert Jenkins.), 3s. 6d.

THE MARRIED MAN.

"Nearly every married man you, (Chatto and Windus.) 7s. 6d. incet knows how to govern his wife. but the trouble is she won't let

" 'What were the last words of Brighanic Young? Tasked the was running in London to packed teacher. 'He never had any,' re-A regular scramble began as one [houses he became a C.3 Tommy...] plied the smart had boy, he was a Unwind 3s. 6d.

FROM "AUGUSTUS CARP, ESQ."

andinching opponent that, the theatre and dancing saloon have texer known. he was then some for democracy as a form of society South, there's a lot of difference

of these two qualities in his netual physical appearance seemed to have been concentrated with additional force in his spiritual personality:

been speaking in French, which be bigoted parson. Having been got it bad. I've got to the mathe- quence obliterated by a profuse but trained from infancy according to mutical stage-adding up how gentle growth of hair. His voice "Yes, he is busy and I am a Puritanical ideas, he grows up in many hours before I see her again, for, owing to some developmental busy man too! Indeed no one almost complete ignorance of subtracting so many for sleep, and defect, had only partially broken would feel inclined to dispute sexual matters. Being intelligent glaving at the balance as if it were and indeed, his father. Abraham im. Not enough money to pay beyond his years he is often brought a bad debt,"-And Fire Were (afterwards removed to an asylum) the troops, many of them dis- to wonder at the behaviour of high Foolish, by Dornford . Yates, had on more than one occasion at: tempted to sacrifice him, under the mistaken impression that he was some sort of unimal that would be suitable as "n burnt offering."-Augustus Carp, Esq., by Himself.

neter. Indeed; all that he lacked

Heinemun.)

"Poor Minute! Why was it lone couldn't belp 'saving 'Good Lord heart-feltly, when one heard she was coming to tea? And why did one never have the heart to refuse to let her come to tea? She was pathetic, but patietic in such a boring way. There are some people' von like being kind to, people you want to belp and befriend. But poor Minnie bud none of these charms. She was just a great big, healthy young woman of twenty-eight who ought to have been married and the mother of children-ind who wasn't. It' just happened that notic of the men she knew had ever wanted to marry her. And why should they want to? When she came into a room the light seemed to grow percept bly dimmer, the electric lension slackened off. She brought no life with hera she absorbed what there, was: she was like so much blotting-paper: "-Little Mexican and 1 Other Stories, by Aldous Huxley.

SMOOTH SAYINGS.

all is easier to say a kind, word wanting to tell you that I wouldn't from an easy chair than from an be at all surprised if sometime uneasy chair .- Arnold Bennett. Most nations have more history to be a cowboy, and saying that than they really require.- Philip | this or that in my articles is not so. Guedalla.

"Perhaps the work in which I would be, not a loaf by the sea or this party doing the knocking may was most interested was that of among the Swiss Alas, but a week be-right, not that I'm-wrong-cause the Anti-Draumtic and Saltatory with a crowbar in the china and I'm careful not to be but first, he Unjoyin founded by Ezekiel Stool. glass department of one of these may not be no cowboy-second, if Probably the most persistent and big West End stores .- Stucy he is he might be of another Anmonier.

12s. I twenty-six years of age and of a than for democracy as a form of in the ways of the cowboy; in each very remarkable and beautiful char- government.—Dean Inge.

#### NOVELS AND TITLES.

The one-word title has had great vogue, which is not surprising, considering its advantages. For one thing, it is easily remembered by the library subscriber. But the trouble is that soon therewill be no useful words left. A glance along one's novel-shelf and down one or two recent columns of advertisements shows that the following have all been used, and they, are only a few : --!

Dust, Race. Danger. Intrusion, Danger. Salt. Confusion. Hazard. .Victory, Waste. Servitude. Defeat. Surplus. Bliss.

These, again, are only a few. No doubt, the list could be multiplied a dozen times after a little research in the lending library catalogue. No wonder the oneword title seems to be declining in favour. All the good words must have been taken. But there is still "Mud," for anyone brave enough to use it.

Possibly Mr. Maurice Baring will start a new fashion with his novel 'C'; but there are only twenty-five other letters in the alphabet.

#### SHORT AND SWEET.

Oshert Sitwell's "Triple Fugue" (7s. 6d.) was published the other day. Its author's preface is one of the shortest on record: "In humbly presenting the following tales of the Old and New Worlds, I should at the same time wish to warn my readers that any character attempting to recognize himself will be immediately prosecuted for libel."

#### A COWBOY.

The most annusing article is Scribner's Magazine for June is that by Will James, the alleged cowboy, who begins: "I been you'd hear from some one claiming Of course I know that's not worry-My idea of a perfect holiday ling you any nor me either, and country and of different time,-like There is much more to be said I said in Cowboys, North and State even."

# YOU'LL SAY THIS IS THE BEST YET!

Every time he makes a move "Hi" throws. the gears into high! It is a whirlwind countship that will delight you with its riot of action, its racy comedy. It snaps with speed and will thrill you through the fastest romance you have ever seen in ages.

# HERBERT RAWLINSON

PICTURE OF DARING, DETERMINED, IMPETUOUS YOUTH.

To-morrow. Commencing

WORLD THEATRE.

# "THE BACHELOR GIRL."

Up To The Minute—Beautiful Beyond Praise.

Vivid, colourful, lavishly staged with the best cast ever shown on the screen—hundreds of the most beautiful women in Paris.-in the world.

Nine Reels of Scenes-Greater than Fairy Tales.



Based on the famous romance by Victor Margueritte, adapted to the screen by Armand Du Plessy.

The scenes of the Cafe de Paris shows that the City of Smiles is again alive but with greater splendour. At the Cafe Napolitan, and the Vaudeville, both famous Palaces of Joy, are seen elegant and beautiful women, dressed at the summit of luxury.

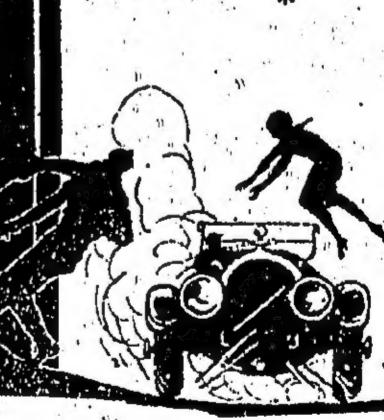
It is a delicious photo-play showing the Persian Dance, the French Can-can, Jazz and other dances, and the beautiful women with arrogant. and divine figures, whose movements are full of art and charm, are to be admired.



WHEN SIX MEN LOVE ONE GIRL-

-there's bound to be some "Excitement"! Six nice young men had their minds made up to win Nina Lyons-what was the poor girl to do? Here's a picture that typifies the American girl of to-dayfull of fast action, clean comedy and plenty of

EXCITEMENT.



LA PLANTE



CONTRACTOR SOLE TRUMPING

# Late Spring Brings the Broad-Brimmed Hat As a Promise of Summer—Straw With Fabric is "Wogue"—Trimmings.

and an equally wide choice of unknown a grosgrain or moire ribbon; the shapes. This should process delight monogram hat or the one that assures to the woman who adon's "trying on" you that "Qui vent peut," and proves it although it can hardly be an graing but | -- such a hat has a walking stick to "trying on" the sales worken whose match, motto and all; and the needlesuggestions are franch; ignored, work hat of fabric, embroidered or Fashions in millinery charge so rapidly at this season of the year, and there i is always such a potent fusemation in the about-to-be disclosed mode, that the careful buyer struggles, to buy of individuality. Such a trimming is artistically, economically, yet with an i eye to the future. Briefly--if one can really be brief in any summary of the with a quill in back; the hat of suede millinery mode-the small hat, which in a high colour; and the turban with lends itself graciously to the slender, scarf trimming, worn with a scarf to silhouette, and the large hat, which match. Never has there been a season means distinction if one wears it well, when there were so many'r radiantly with the accent-if there be any-on

the small, tailored shape. Straw With Eabric The Preference. The one really definite rule-and it neither large nor small, but, large applies to the small, rather than the enough to satisfy the woman of large hat-is "straw with fabrie" although there are many natable wear the picture hat type becomingly. exceptions to verify it. It would be impossible for anyone to really be sure of the season, so far as hats are con- popular oneabut so far it has not been cerned, if she did not look at the an unqualified success, for the reason calendar, for there are straws-Milan, | that many modes are not successful-Indian bead straw, cellophane, Leghorn, only the few may wear them becomtimbo and crinol; straw with moire, ingly. Neither the high crown, the faille, bengaline, felt and velvet; all | broad brim-with poke tendencies, or felt hats and all silk hats-faille, the jockey lines are universally becomhengaline and moire the fuvourities. ing, but when one can wear them, they even this early in the scason, where in | Directoire scarfs and a deal of yellow former years we have come to expect and blue are the salient features of it about July. The large picture that particular style, " " " shapes presuppose chiffon, Georgette, and-since it is a lace season-fine the cobwebby fabrics of the large but laces, especially Chantilly.

One must, necessarily, report on the | newest picture models. Nothing will, clocke, for it is storm centre of the in all probability, ever take the place millinery world. It hangs on tenaclously, and there seems to be more wear on certain occasions, and much than a grain of truth in the prophecy fof picturesqueness would depart from that so long as bobbed hair is fashion, our costuming, were it; eliminated. the clocke will be worn. It is interest- Unusual and graceful shapes of no triple tiered brims.

The trimmings for these hats are tailored, and ribbon-plaided taffeta, trimmings on these hats incline to the grosgrain, belting, moire, ombre or simplicity of the tailored, taking cire—is best liked of all the simple tailored bands and bows of ribbon; trims. It makes bows, flat bands, runs | appliques; embroideries, especially in a devious way through loops of straw, | the tapestry stitch; and flowers applied and forms the sole ornament, on a closely and flatly, almost in the manner straight-brimmed sailor with an odd of applique. Flowers are, of course crown that is not unlike a derby. I the logical trimming of the summe Rhinestone ornaments, contrasting hat, and this year, fashion is logical pipings and bindings feathers applied if nothing else. There is nothing flatly on toques and turbans—these are I loveller, in the large hat realm, than a a few of the trims that appear. There | mushroomed , shape garlanded , with are, too, many individual fashions in | flowers or with its droop enhanced with the small hat mode, but no one of them I aprays of peacock or glycerined ostrich.

THE problem of selecting the most (is anything but simplicity itself. Such I becoming hat is complicated by a fashion is the fob hat-of Milan the wide variety of every known shape with, an ornamental fob dangling from

Unusuality Makes For Individuality. If a unique or unusual trimming can be found, it is exploited in the interests the huge hook and eye seen on a smart tailored shape; the hat trimmed solely are both being generally featured, new ideas developed in piquent shapes and blithe colourings. One may arrive nt the large hat mode by easy stages, for there are many in between shapes, generous proportions who may not There has been a notable attempt to -make the Directoire mode in hats a Velvet is being prominently featured, are very fetching. Directoire veils,

The light-weight, fancy straws and mude sure made the most of in the of the garden but for warm weather ing to note-and then one can draw her | particular period; models that are a own conclusions-that never were legacy from the reign of Louis the barbers and hair-dresser's so busy Sixteenth; the leghorn "flop" hat: and bobbing hair. We are not yet done the mushrooming or straight-brimmed the hat itself makes a background for with the ubiquitous clocke. The picture hats; all these are represented the design. Such a hat should be worn tricorne and the sailor are sharing for the coming season. They are, first only when one is definitely assured of honoffes with the clocke for wear with of all, exquisite of straw or fabric, its becomingness, since its brimless the tailored suit, and the Russian graceful of shape and dashing as to lines make it decidedly trying to the turban, high in front, and the Chinese | trimming. They make use of ribbons, | profile. More generally becoming the turban are worn. Then, too, there are laces, flowers, feathers and maline, and hat of fancy straw" with fun-shaped shapes that start like a clocke, and add much to the joy of living by their ornament of glossy finished estrich so point their brims that they become charm and beauty. Every woman who | enveloping the high crown. This ornatricornes; odd little hats with scalloped has any logical use for it, and can wear, ment is in a colour known as "dead brims; and shapes with double and it becomingly, should own at broad- leaf brown" and "makes" the hat fully

brimmed hat. Strangely enough, some of the itself.

# DID YOU KNOW—

I finish can be divided into three parts-one will be a pen, one a pencil, and the third a flask for ink or perfume? It is one of the most unique of many novelty accessories. THAT another . old-time material-

this time it is challis-has been resurfor wear over summer dresses.

THAT fabric gloves are following the designs that have been popularized in kidskin? And silk gloves keep close to the fashion of fancy cuffs and much -ornamentation?

THAT a new cane in smart malacca | .THAT a new idea in blouses is the Orange, blue, flamingo, green and black detachable side frill? It is a part of a strictly tailored blouse of crepe de true picture hat demands. chine with long sleeves, V-neck and over-blouse lines, and is piped in contrasting colour.

broideries are also popular.

to us as a part of the season's flair for is, of models both dashing and pleats as a definite vogue. white, as well, and is most effective. large number are incredibly flattering. I frills in the list, there will be hardly a with an insert of the material pleated, coat of wrap, it varies in its styling



THE TAILOPED SUI



FANCY HAIR BRAID WITH

THE "TREND IN CORSETRY.

of veiling, maline or lace are effectively used; and wings are used in combination with ribbon. A fashion note of interest, that has to do with the small hat, rather than the large, is the surwith full figure. The gradual evolu- than uncompromising rigidity. tion of the corset from a stiff, com-Back trimmings on both large and

amall shapes are emphasized. ` ' Late Models Show Great Variety. .. In the pictured models we see assurance for the present and promise of a future that will at least, have variety. Insistent in its demand for variety in its accessories, the tailored suit finds some thing new in a close little model made of padded folds of fabric, and quite untrimmed except for the fint flowers at one side and the drop veil, eleverly embroidered where as much, if not more, than the shane

Poke shapes have their brims faced

solidly, with wee French roses; drapes

vival of the short back, originated

for wear with the high collar, and

retained for wear with the fur scarf

Uncompromisingly straight the broad brim of the large hat, and short in back as well. The straw is a semitransparent Swiss Crinol, the colour black, but the model yields to the popular demand for colour . with gorgeous double rose spray—that has, as roses are like to have a thorn or two-and it winds around the crown and catches up the narrow back. The wide, under-chin scarf and streamer is of deep old rose taffeta ribbon. Flaring just a bit, all around, the other large. hat model is made of foncy hair, and has its edge bound with silk. It places its faith in a solitary ornament of ostrich for trimming, but so striking are its colours that it justifies the faith

THERE have been the most amazing , paratively unyielding, heavily boned developments, in the corset world affair to a lightly made garment has a few of the heavier pelts, the bestthe past few years; developments that | been almost imperceptible, but it has | liked skins are worn the whole year have yielded much of real comfort to taken place just the same, and flexi- through. Furs, are as much a matter all womankind, especially the woman bility is now the watchword rather of fashion as frocks, and designers

Curiously enough, the result is a happy one in appearance as well as a welcome one in the way of comfort. There is a fundamental reason for the change that will appeal to-even the most skeptical—the lightly made corset follows the natural lines of the figure where the rigid garment does not. This is as it should be, if one makes it her business to be sure that unlovely lines are, at the same time, corrected. For the slender woman there are the loveliest sorts of outfits, consisting of corset and matching brasslere, both made of recognized brassiere fabrics-

lace, satin, suede, even organdy. Luceless models in suede fabric have a" little more resistance, and they launder perfectly; garments that make a very generous use of clustic are wellliked-and they are doing wonders with clastic, these days-and the step-in corset has many followers. The nicest thing about it all is-there is a wide variety, and one may be as light or as firmly corseted as her corsetiere-not she herself-feels she should. The trend is toward, not away from, the corset.

Mah Jonga enthusiasts may now Correct For Wear With The Suit and convenient accessory to the game, and would make an excellent prize.

factory habit of discarding oven l

Or The One-Piece Frock.

LIOR a time fashion had the unsatis-, corner of the realm of style into which pleats do not penetrate. They make whole dresses and costume suits; the best liked details of a season's separate skirts and blouses; and trim styling with the coming of a new mode, with panels, inserts, tiers and flounces blend to make for the beauty that the but one of the most noticeable changes the frocks that are not wholly made up of the past few years is the increasing of pleats. They are used on lingerie Not to be outdone by the coat and | tendency to retain a style, a mode, or | and boudoir apparel; on neckwear; on suit mode, a straw hat adopts light- a detail, if it proves at all popular. hats and as shoe ornaments. A cont weight fur as a trimming. The rolled This has been the case with pleats, may be made wholly of fine pleats, and THAT the new scarfs for evening brim is bound with narrow grosgrain which were viewed a bit skeptically... a cape the same, and the very newest wenr make generous use of ostrich as ribbon and the band of ermine is held in the light of our experience with fancy in the suit world is satin done rected to bring variety to the world a trimming, its lovely colourings in place by a small harness buckle of other vogues—when they first appear- into pleats. There is a tendency to the day on any occasion, whether one of materials? It is effectively used in | making it very effective. Fringes of metal. A fad of the moment for ed. But it happens that fashion's the narrow pleat, and a smart little be shopping, teaing, lunching or just frocks of the tailored type and in coats the heavier sort, applique and em- Milady to be buckled both as to her liking for this smart and graceful bit tube frock has three tiers that alternate tramping about. It has come to be shoes and her hat. Thus do we of detail has waxed, rather than narrow pleats and the plain material, THAT the gardenia boutonniere has exemplify the mode that is, above all waned, with every season following its headed with tubing of the a rival in the red goranium that comes clae, refreshingly new, made up, as it introduction, and as a result we have fabric, which is Georgette. Even the time when some version of it will not most severe models in tailored cloth be in style. It has passed from a fad fred? It appears on evening frocks of bresistible, of which a surprisingly If one may be permitted to include frocks make a concession to decoration to a fact in the wardrobe. Like any

Furs Belong to Every
Season
of the Year

-that is, really take thought of their appropriateness-for if we did, we much she may wish to do so, the stout would be amazed at the inconsistency. and incongruity of many a general choice. It used to be that fur belonged to winter alone, and while every woman who felt she could afford it included a fur cost or scarf, a muff, and possibly a fur hat in her wardrobe, they were some are more dressy than others. but away with the coming of warm 'weather and kept "put away" until "erminette"-are well liked, for they and many a cont was a treasured heir-

woman, if she would be smart, is be- fit into the picture with ease. A list furred becomingly. .. Her fur coat is of the skins that are featured this kept up-to-the-minute, so far as season will always include loopard-a fashion is concerned, and no wrap of | fur much used as a trimming as well The fur scarf and fur for trimming | duki: and nutria, although many prefer purposes are accepted facts in their ito leave the latter to the winter months, respective worlds of accessories and since it possesses heavings and a trimmings, and with the exception of duller tint than is generally liked. seem to be able to do the same subtle things with furs that they do with

This, then, is the story of the scarf and the short coat-variously known as. the jacquette and the coater-and the part they play in the fashion scheme. Never, for an instant, belittle that part, for it is a leading one, and fur, skilfully applied, is one of the loveliest of the many levely trimmings. The vogue for the scurf is having its effect on the neckpiece of fur, and another contributing reason, to its popularity is the vogue of the tailored suit. The suit demands something about the neck, and the scarf and the fur place answem that demand. The latter takes two forms, the small skin piece and the large skin scarf, the former made imperative by the fact that the stout woman cannot -or should not-wear a large neck piece. Unfortunately this rule is not always followed, but the fact remains that fluffy neckwear is the prerogative of the slender, and the smaller piece is correct for the woman of full figure.

The small skin scarf may be had in one, two-and for those who wish itthree skin. pieces, and may be of Russian or Hudson Bay sable; fisher; own a set of holders fitted with pegs. or any of the smaller animals. The and complete with real Chinese coins | sables are leveliest with the browns, One, Two And Three Skin Scarfs Are for counters. It is a clever, artistic, while gray and white seem more approprinte to black and blue, although it is, by all means, a matter for personal choice! For the larger piece fox is the fur, and one may be luxurious in silver or natural blue, regardless of her costume colour scheme, or she may wear fox that has been dyed to harmonize with her suit or frock. This much may be said, that a silver or natural blue fox skin is lovely enough of itself to demand a background—on the same principle that a picture is

> With every new season the short coat —an inspiration of a few seasons back takes on new importance. It is so practical, so comfortable, so versatile, so Lmart. It may be worn any hour of a fashion feature of a character so distinctive that one cannot imagine s

The Ubiquitous Bob.

PROPOS of the progress of affairs A in the world of women, news items are appearing constantly with word of the increase in the number of bobbed heads, for the fashion is on the increase, and some have gone so far as to prophesy that 5 years from now long hair will be obsolute. While it is a subject at which, much humorous comment is directed, it is really a serious problem-the question "To bob or not to bob." When short hair came into fashion, a few short seasons ugo, the style of the hair cut was appropriate for youth only, and when an older woman adopted it, it was ridiculous.

But the comfort and convenience of short hair is undeniable and whoever started the craze was quite powerless, even wishing to, to stem the tide, and as a result hundreds of women are having their hair cut daily and things have reached a stage where the woman with a mass of hair finds it extremely cifficult to buy a hat, that is, if she would be at all "choosey.". Designers are entering to the bobbed head, and head sizes are small, almost without exception. And there are many bobs from which to choose, so that if one has her hair cut by an expert she can be sure of advice as to the correct style for her, and nine times out of ten her appearance is improved in the same proportion that comfort is gained.

Many women have their hair bobbed. turi it, if they are not fortunate enough to possess a natural wave, then net it down in such a way that only the closest observer would know that it was not long. There are a score or more of ways, all in the interest of type, and judging by the present trend, indicated in the busy beauty and barber shops, the answer to the above-mentioned problem is, most emphatically,

TY/E no longer consider either fabrics with every season, but "designers see VV or .rimmings in relation to season | to it that it never loses the "ellic" that makes it so desirable. No mutter how

woman "inclined to plumpness" as well as for the slender figure. The choice of fur for the contec is principally a matter of taste, although Summer ermine and white concy-called winter came again. Moreover, they are not only light of weight, but may were not subject to changes in style, be had in the cocoz, beige, platinum cocon and nude shades, as fwell as in from, handed down from mother to white, Weasel comes in cocon, beige, kolinsky and sable colours and natural squirrel is well liked. Caracul has lost Furs are, to-day, a four-sesson fabric none of its popularity, and Persian and trimming, and the well-dressed lamb and American broadtail seem to fur, these days, is likely to be long- as a fabric-Pahmi, which is gray lived enough, to become an heiricom. | marmoty pony: black muskrat; Borom

woman may not wear it, but there are

models specially designed for the

The average length of these coats runs from 26 inches to 82, but it depends somewhat on the one who is to wear the model. The very short coat may be worn only by the very slender, and there are times when an added inch or two makes the short, coat a possibility for the woman of full figure. Models that are cut with Chinese straightness vic for popularity. with the surplice model that fastens at the side, and there are many versions of both. Sometimes these coats have collars or cuffs or other trims of a contrasting fur, but it is well to remember that contrast cuts height, and is, therefore, at times undesirable. The military collar has appeared, and there are various types of the shawl and flatlying collars. The average contee is 'not 'only ' serviceable, but decidedly atunning, which makes it a

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[BY KATHERINE LOUISE SMITH.]

Will sagmicent mountains of North | glaviers, | devious 'passes, | towering for the in and offer to mountain Come from Switzerland, live in a colony. cleable. Vistas that are deginning to of their own and mone should attempt all are many who never climbed before. To climb Canadian peaks without one-to-Thore are the Rocky, Selkirk, Gold and Tassist. The expert knowledge and sure Costable Rightess. You may not be a footbolds are indispensable and they too musin climber but if you go to these | hew the way with hat hets, and hold the regions you will find experienced climber with ropes. climbers conquering the high peaks and loss thilled nersons escaying short charles. You will think the whole world has frome mountain mad and before you krow it you have dished prudence to the winds and clad in dannel shiet. browhes, bobbed unil boots and puttees and with Alpino stock in hand, you, too, w'll seart for victory.

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🐥 America becken into their apprown ( heights and Swiss guides. These guides

Listeners Popular, .

If you go to Banif and do not ince to climb mountains to sixteen miles to Lake Mannewanku, walled in with tremendaus cliffs and listen in the evening to the tales of the climbers. You will he popular because a good listener and will secretly be much more comfortable in your anatomy than those sore-footed, acting wivenfugers who may have a mountain-to'their credit.

I As a rule you find many in the glagiers commemorate the names of I grand circle trip and the park super- I that have never been climbed.

Mt. Rainier.

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Glaciers Near At Hand, " [Canadian Rockles who know and love I two men who made the ascent in 1870 | it been named "Paradise" and John Muir A little further west lies Glucier in the mountains of "The States" and waved the Stars and Steipes from says it is the richest sub-Alpine garden the Selkirks where a "real," live especially those around Puget Sound. the top of Peak Success, which they he has ever seen. As far back as 1852 | don't you know that perilous advenglacier lis a stone's throw from the In fact there are those who think that named. hotel and railroad. "All around this 1 Mt. Rainier is the most desirable of all You will become interested, too, in peak in search of wildlower, but it You will soon discover in the Canadian attractive Alpine region, just as at | mountains for climbing, and who re- the "building" of Mt. Rainier for no | remained for the nated Viscount James

its herdinactors on the slope of Sulphur Rockies That there are some mesons Bent' and Lake Louises there are to this mountain even if they have now long the granding Breet, afterward Ambassador Mountain which is over seven thousand who think Lake Louise and Glacier innumerable trails for mountain enjoyed the Canadian Rockies. . . glaciers have been at work. Perhaps Washington from Great Britain, to feel righ and on top of which is an afford the best elimber, and amateur explorers. There To appreciate Mt. Rainier you will agree with some geologists suggest that this remarkable mount observatory. There are others at final agree or not you will certainly think are some case aset aside for a national park. felt the "urge," the lure of the unchallerging ascents like that of Mt. Lake Louise is one of the most charm- Marion and of the most charm- Marion and of the Mest when the Northern | known? Of course you have. Some Faith and Ecn, where Dr. Stone of hing of mountain lakes. A white your enjoy perhaps before than the Liberty Capt and Peak Success. All of plugged up with cool lava and that Pacific railroad was completed and as Purdue University lost his life. If you glarier is reflected in its bine waters, persons, who hire Swiss guides, and these peaks are over fourteen thousand, Peak Success, Liberty Cap and a result of this in 1899 Congress withare a novitiate you may choose Cascade and around are Mounts befroy and essain to reach the summits of Eagle | feet high and the summits of Eagle | feet high and the summits of Eagle | feet high and the summits of th of Rundle, Gradually you will become Victoria gineier and other peaks, Peak, Mt, Avalanche and Mt, Sir them. About four thousand feet below ferater. But the chances are you will benefit of the people. more courageous and have umbitions to Several mountain clubs have their Donald. The air is so page and mount the summit the snow melts and forms the obliged to speculate on all this at

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may never be for untold ages, and one

could name many other peaks from .Colorado to the north of Canada that have been scaled or attempted Perhaps the hardest neak that has been scaled in our West is Mt. McKinley in Alaska, This mountain has been "But," I hear you say, "I cannot estimated to be twenty thousand feet spend a month or weeks seeing Mt. high and it makes other mountains Rainier. Must I forego this pleasure look, like pygmies. In 1898, James entirely?" "By means, Mr. Globe Wickershum, a delegate to Congress Trofter. You can reach this mountain from Alaska, tried to scale it but his in a few hours from either Theoma, or party failed to reach the summit Stattle and the reald to tall of attract Subsequently, Dr. Cook, of Arctic tions. You will see the flowering memories, made two expeditions but meadowlands which reach toward the apparently failed to reach the top glaciers and you can go to Paradise Interest grew and mountain climbers Glacier, the one ice river in the world from all over the world were detert at the end of an auto-boulevard only mined to accept the challenge and gona few hours rade from large cities, quer this towering giant, but it re-No matter how evaggerated the tales mained for Archdencon Hudson Struck and three companions to reach the peak you, you can believe them all for it is a | in 1913, seventeen years after a descrip-Perhaps some one will ask why persons want to climb mountains?, You say it is not easy, often perllous and sometimes disastrous. Granted: But a Hudson Eay botanist climbed this tures always have been a powerful lure for huhan beings und perhips always will be? There is the desire deeply Implicated in most people to go into the unknown where no man has set wise ones argue there is nothing to be gamed from mountain climbing, that , we now have avintors who can fly over mountains and get better ideas of the summits, glaciers and snow fields than climbers can ever hope to attain. Such Of course there are hundreds of peaks logic will have little avail. To "climb



Captivity—Care and Medical Attention In Zoos—Surgical Operations if Needed.

[BY. FLOYD MONTGOMERY.]

cages?

negative by C. Emerson Brown, superintendent of the Philadelphia Zoologi- to creatures in perfect health, eternal cal Gardens, in a way that should pro- vigilance is the price of existence and live out their allotted span as do those vide food for thought:

Does the protection of captivity overbalance the perils of freedom? Mr. Brown thinks so. At least his argument throws new, light on the subject from an angle which should mitigate any excess of pity that otherwise might be lavished on the imprisoned beasts and birds. .

Did anyone, for instance, ever hear of an animal or a bird in the wild state dying of old age? It is improbable except in very rare instances.

In the wilds, a virtually unbroken law of the animal and bird kingdom spells death sentence for any of their number so unfortunate as to fall ill from disease or to become enfeebled with growing age.

--- --- Animals - Left - To - Die. ----

the rest of the flock or herd, they are major operations are performed with left behind to fall a quick prey to the same care and precision that would matural enemies. Escaping death in be taken in operating upon a human. thin way the derelict is killed by his A fractured leg' is set or a diseased own brothers. Who has not observed member cured, when the same condi-

Visitor at the zoo. "It's too bad | Who has not rescued a crippled and to pen up those poor birds and animals | helpless chicken from a few murderously inclined hens or a rooster?

But is it? Are the animals to be | Nature is cruel, you say, Maybe. pitied their bars-the birds their But the law of the survival of the This question is answered in the is made for old folk's homes in the permitted to live out the remainder of kingdoms of birds and animals. Even many fall in their prime, a victim to a more cumning or stronger enemy.

How different in the Zoo! Protected by the very bars which cage them; with no fears to flood their savage hearts in sudden panie: not days and days of unsatisfied hunger and thirst: no lying in wait for prey, theirs should be days of endites contentment and

Not only are they provided with food and water in quantities deemed aufficient for their wants, but they are given every care necessary for their health and comfort, including medical attention. Even aurgical eperations are performed to prolong their lives or

to cure diseases or injuries. -Rapid strides have been made in Yecent years in prescribing for sickly When they cannot keep pace with animals in zoos. Minor and sometimes

mative erags and peaks - not to mention mountain lions, wilves and grizzlies? These are some of the points suggested by Mr. Brown in a paper prepared for the American Nature Association, that national friend and supporter of wild life in every form.

When the zoo animals begin to grow old and their fellows show signs of a desire to hurry along the operation of nature's law for the survival of the fittest, the creatures of failing strength are separated from their would-be fittest is inexorable and no provision executors, placed in separate cages and herr lives in peuce.

Few birds or animals in the wild state in enptivity: It is not far fetched to sny that in some instances the years of life have been doubled by confinement in a well-kept zoo. This, of course, applies to the cases in which creatures have been cured of dikease which would have meant death in the wilds-death resulting not necessarily from the disi case itself, but from starvation or from attack by other wild orentures.

It must be remembered that animals and birds in the wild are continually struggling for food, and must be in condition to go after it to forestall the danger of starving. This may be nature's way of protecting species from extermination. As a matter of fact it is a part of naturo's first law-self-prozervation-rather than the operation of the so-called law of the survival of the fittent.

After ail, the plan of nature to sacrifice the individual for the common weal seems the wisest, cruel as it appears. The operation of this law would seem to explain why it is that we never think ethic execution of such a sentence right tion in the wilds would have meant of wild animals or birds as being in or later, as the grows old, he is sure



ELEPHANT

anything but perfect health ... They are either in perfect health or they are dead. I and wither killed or left to die. There is no period of languishing illness, convalescence or recovery, as in the world of man.

Wounded And Old Must Go. One of the most striking examples of the requirement of perfect health or the alternative of death is seen in the deer family. A young buck deer in his prime is well able to take care of himself in a fair fight with other deer of his size, and seventy-five miles long and no one or to get away from larger ones; but as soon as he becomes old or the least bit

has been "King of the Forest," sooner

to be defeated by a younger animal

A few years ago, at the Cincinnati Zoo there died an aged passenger pigeon-the last of the mighty flocks of these birds which, in their migrations not so, many years ago, used to blot out the very sun, so great were their numbers. Billions-not millions but billions-of these birds, were gathered in huge flocks sometimes fifty knows how wide. Giant trees used as their roosting places at night were weakened from disease, he is quickly sometimes found broken down from the great weight. Now, there is not

The bull moose have many flerce one left. While, of course, all the zoos fights during the mating season, often I in the country could not have taken in to the death, and in most cases the 'all of these birds, who will say that younger and more vigorous animal is the protection of captivity would not the winner. But it matters not how have been better than that of liberty large and fine a bull is or how long he and extinction? The Case Of The Buffele. Perhapasa better example would be

the American buffalo, or. bison, as is "Bolivar" died, in the Philadelphia zoo his correct name." It was only the at the age of forty-seven yearsprompt, but almost too late, action in characterized by Mr. Brown as a creating a few buffalo farms that saved this, animal, whose numerous "ripe old age," "Bolivar" stood ten herds at one time detted the "Grent | feet in height and weighed 12,000 American Desert."

The quail, or "bob-white," as it is more familiarly known during the summer months, is another of nature's seven years and a white-handed gibbon greatures whose hazardous life has his survived for fourteen years, which almost led to its extinction. Nesting upon the ground the young from the is considered a record for these apes. moment they are hatched, are in constant danger from prowling animals, live long enough to die of old age, including cuts. Of all birds the quait something which never occurs in the Even when he is full-grown there is precently passed away of old age in his the ever-present danger from the hawk | twenty-seventh year. Up to within a in the day time and prowling animals | year of his death he seemed in perfect at night, to say nothing of the human | health but looked the part of an old enemy with the shotgun. To this man, his hair having turned, in spots comes the added danger in winter, on his head, from dark brown to white. when they bury themselves in snow at night to keep from freezing for under such conditions a sleet or cold rain observe the attitude of the birds and

imprisons' the birds' beneath. Weli Cored For.

their large cage at the zoo. There they | peacock will spread his tail and strut; are served the very best of grains, the monkeys take on new life and fresh drinking water is always within scamper after each other over the easy reach, the cage is so constructed | monkey house; old Leo, the lion, roars' that none of their enemies can possibly and even the scals show every evidence reach them, they have a warm shelter | that they appreciate being noticed and that thoroughly protects them in all will cavort in the water. kinds of weather, and a keeper is in attendance to watch every symptom and report illness to the doctor.

at:little more than fifty years.



In 1908 the big Indian elephant pounds. Bours have lived in the Philadelphia zoo for as long as twenty-

Many animals in zoological gardens

If any other arguments are needed on the protection of captivity just may form a heavy crust and effectually animals in zoological gardens when there is a crowd present. The chimpanzee, who has been asleep, will come out for the spotlight and go through How different the "bob-whites" in his most comical manageuvres; the

Of course, there are those who believe in the philosophy that not only animals and birds but man should have . Mr. Brown does not believe stories to fight for their existence and that attributing long lives to elephants, nature's plan is the best from the Instead of 100 and 150 years variously standpoint" of improvement of the set as the length of an elephant's life, species or the race but the nature he fixes the usual life of these animals, students find much to commend in the

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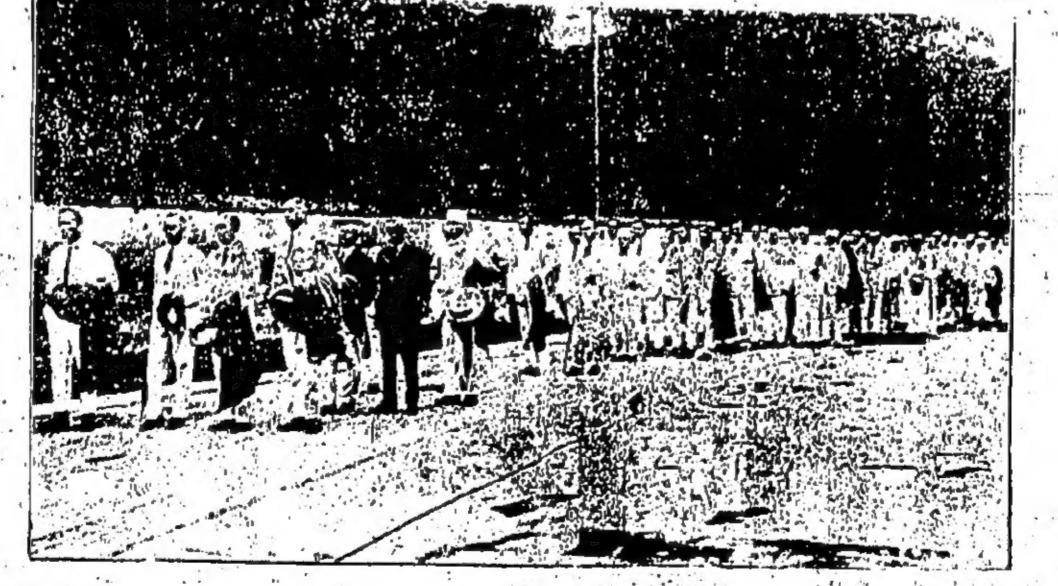


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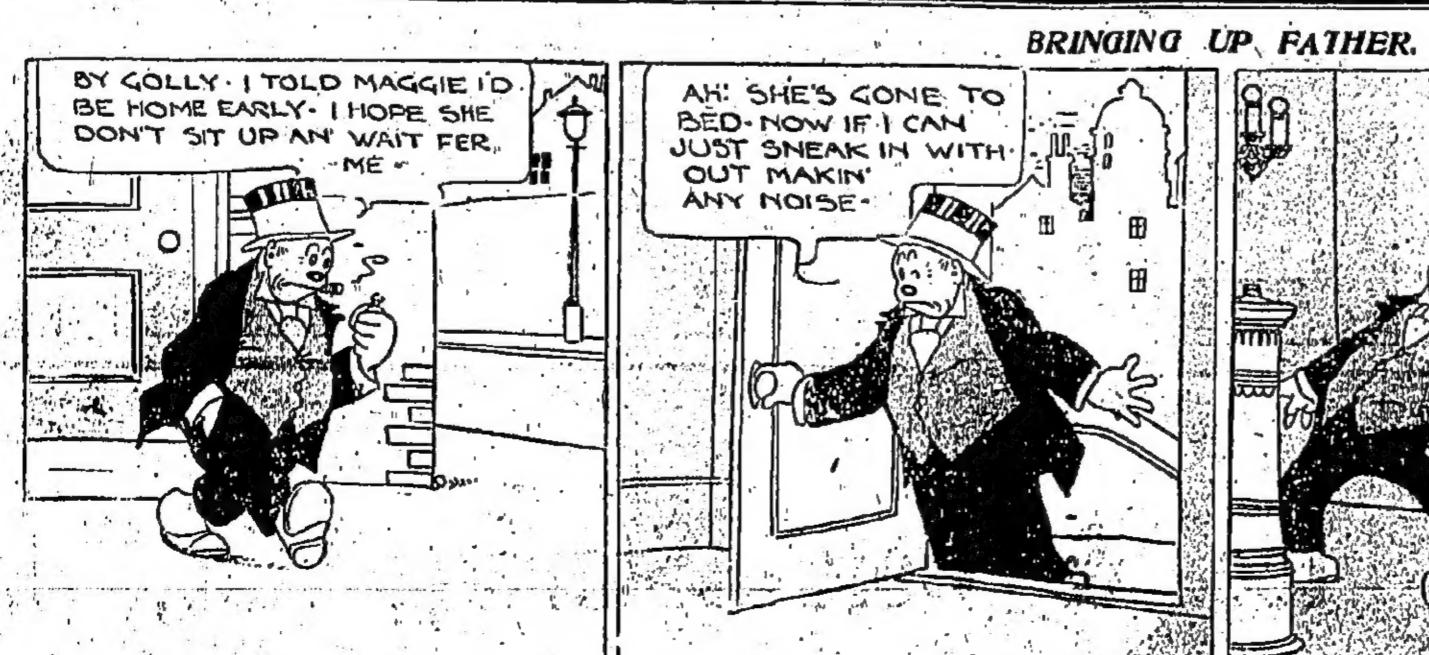
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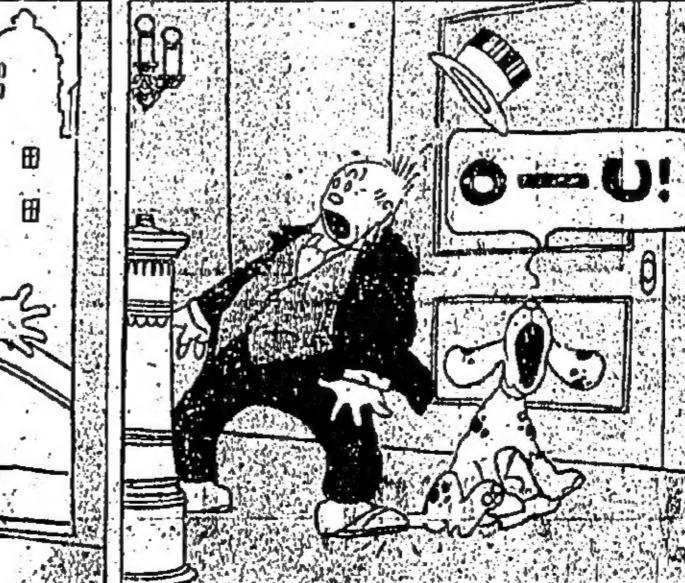
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production. In the dream scene Elsie Ferguson and Wallace Reid'are revealed in a gondola in a Venetian canal, in an ice palace in Russia, at the circus Maximus in Rome, on the desert sands, in Algeria, and at ] various show places in England

and France. In point of expense "Forever is one of the foremost picture productions of the year. The sets are exact copies of the places they represent, having been made from photographs and old prints of the days about which George Du Maurier wrote. "The supporting east is one of the strongest assemble. bled in any recent picture and includes, besides the stars, Montagu Love, George Fawcett, 2 Elliott Dexter, Barbara Dean, Dolores Cassinelli and others.

# NOVEL FILMED.

"The Bachelor Girl" Here."

"The Bachelor Girl." adapted to the screen from Victor Marguerite's famous novel "La Garconne." which will be shown at the World Theatre, is a study in ! the bost-war psychology of a girl thrown at the outset into the! society of the French nouveaux riches and subjected to fall the temptations of a decadent period. I

Deceived and shocked by the intidelity of men, the Bachelor Girl breaks away from the conventionalities of society and enters; upon, an independent life; but inexperienced in the ways of the world, she takes a wrong course which, if carried to its logical conclusion, must lend ultimately to disaster. Fortunately, she rises out of a life of dissipation, the 'richer for the experience, and returns to the ideals of a nobler } womanhood.

The Bachelor Girl or Monique Lerbier is played by Miss Frances Dehlia, an actress of unusual beauty and grace with mimetic. talent which insures her complete success as a screen player. On the stage she won laurels and each new appearance has increased her popularity immerisely. .

Of the film itself it may be said that it rises to a high level of art. 2 Many parts in the vein of French realism which in the book might the objected to, have been deleted' from the screen version and there is nothing which in any way is calculated to bring a blush to the. cheek of a woman or a child. Indeed the play affords much food. for serious thought amongst people who view with apprehension the tendencies of the age.

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MINISTER'S ACCOUNT OF APPARITION.

In "The House of Airlie (Murray, 2 vols., 32s.) Mr. William Wilson, the Minister of Airlie, has excellently told the tale of that famous old Scottish family from the Airlie papers. It is a fine record of loyalty to noble ideals from its earliest pages to its last, which narrates how one of the brothers of the present Earl, the 9th, fell gallantly in 1917 in the fearful battle for Passchendæle. The house has a well-known.

ghosts" The Airlie Drummer. The story is that on the near approach of the death of the head of the family, music is heard like the wail of the bagpipes, the shrill sound of a fife, accompanied by the beating of a drum, According to Mr. Wilson, there

is evidence that the drum of death was heard so recently as 1881, when Lady Margaret Cameron was told by Lady" Dalkeith that-She and Lady Skelmersdale distinctly heard, the sound as of a drummer beating the drum outside the house, and remarked how it sounded like what they had heard described as "The Airlie Drummer." She then told me that the of Lord Airlie was announced in the paper as having takeh place in America the same night that she and Lady Skelmersdale had heard the sound. . . On calculating the difference of time between Scotland and America, the sound of the Drummer was heard about an hour before his death.

A strange story which has not before appeared in print and is well corroborated.

Duting the report stage of the London Traffic Bill Mr. S. Webb

(President of the Board of Trade) said that he did not like the whole of the measure, but it was the business of the Government to pass such a bill as could be got through Parliament." On an amendment, which the Government resisted, providing that regulations under bill should not morely be laid on the table but should have to be the subject of a resolution and adopted by the House, the Government was defeated by 195 votes to 168.

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